C IS THE MAN.

Is the Opinion of Ex-Governor Foster.

ision of Sentiment In Ohio In Reto McKinley's Candidacy and His Take It if It Is Offered."

YORK, Dec. 13.-Charles Foster. ernor of Ohio and ex secretary of asnry, was in the city yesterday. ster said the election of St. Louis Republican national convention right.

central," he added, "and the ccommodations are ample. Misnas recently elected 10 Republicgressmen, and besides, the state table. If conventious have any influence, the selection of St. y the committee was eminently "The ex-governor smiled as he "St. Louis is a good town in

to nominate McKinley." you think Governor McKinley nommated?"

ontlook for him is certainly nd there is no division of sentivhatever in Ohio in regard to his acy and his ability," was the an-

had had enough and did not it again. He is what General on terms a 'receptive' candidate. s, which means that he will take dd it be offered. I suppose any would receive the nomination it be tendered. My impression, i, is that the ex-president is not a

TALE OF TWO STATES. Ohlo Widow Refuses to Marry Her Hoosler Lover.

NEFORT, IND., Dec. 13.—A matril hureau marriage, which was to aken place here, failed to materi-Mrs. Sarah A. Phillipsisa comeow, whose home is in Lima, O. nswered an advertisement in a nonial paper, requesting a correent with a view to marriage. entleman proved to be Amos Stotne proprietor of a second-hand n this city. It was a case of love first stroke of the pen, and Mr. r forwarded her money to come and vesterday evouing mot her at affy House with a license and a er. The bride delayed the cere until she could make some inqui out the bridegroom-elect, after she declined to, marry him, and orning returned to her home.

TIME FOR REFLECTION.

of Indianapolis People Seat Up For Two Years.

ANAPOLIS, Dec. 13. - James B. n, editor of the Indianapolis Peoas sentenced to two years in the uttary and fined \$250 by Judge of the federal court. The paper. ekly issue, was accustomed to aving a following among He was both feared and hated In pronouncing sentence Judge characterized him as worse than

derer. in Wrecked in the City Limits. LADELPHIA, Dec. 13.—The southru express on the Pennsylvania which left Broad Street station at o'clock last night, was wrecked t got out of the city. At full it struck a freight caboose, wreckhe locomotive and several cars seer John Spenberger of this city

Spanish Cabinet Resigns. DRID, Dec. 13.-It is announced

alled.

he cabinet has decided to resign at owing to the recent popular ustration against the ministers of e, justice and public works who rted the municipal authorities.

EKA, Dec. 13.—All three bodies of eceased citizens found at the Kanfedical college were women who ied of consumption, and there was

Coustimptives In Demand.

an apparent demand for subjects rsue the study of that disease by tion. An Katy Winner.

EX CITY, Ia., Dec. 13. — Billy nuell of St. Paul, featherweight. n easy victory over Martin Neary

ranton, Pa., last night. It was a Joint Traffic Association.

w York, Dec. 13.—The new Joint c association on Jan. 1 will begin

ve years' agreement to control the of thousands of miles of railroads ettle all questions and differences bitration.

Revenue Cutter Missing. RTLAND. Me., Dec. 13.—There are

that the United States revenue Woodbury has been disabled at a She has not been spoken since she Rockland on Dec. 3 to patrol the

Flat Paiture.

w York, Dec. 13.-Herman Alt made his first appearance at er union last night. An admission f 50 cents was charged and this d to turn many people away who The to the half out of corresity. re teemed throughout with denunon of the Jews.

JUDGE THURMAN DEAD. The Old Roman Passes Away at the Ripe Age of \$2.

Columbus, O., Dec. 13.—Hon, Allen G. Thurman, who died at 1:15 p m. yesterday, had been growing rapidly worse since Wednesday night, URI A DEBATABLE STATE, and at no time since had his recovery been noped for.

The unmediate cause of his death was the fall he sustained some weeks ago, clarkson Quoted as Saying That from the effects of which it was thought son Is a Receptive Candidate, he had partially, at least, recovered.

The old Roman was 82 years old Nov 13 last, and had it not been for his accident a month ago might have hved for a number of years, for the feebleness of age had by no means overcome

No one was present when the last scene came save Judge Thurman's son, Allen W., and the members of his immediate family His physician, Dr. Whittaker, had not seen him since Wednesday night

The judge had been unconscious since midnight, and when death finally came, it was like a calm and peaceful sleep.

Highest Regard For Him.

WASHINGTON, Dec 13-Many of the old senators remember Judge Thurman very well, as he served with them, but he belonged more particularly to the era of Conkling, Edmands, Logan and others who became famous at a period rence being made to ex-President when many of the now older members of the senate were just entering upon their coreers. Those who served with the he was president I inferred gard for him and declared that he was lead about and did not one of the great men of the country. He was regarded as one of the best law-Yers that ever served in the senate, and several Democratic senators said of him that he more truly represented their ideas of sterling Democracy than any of the men of his time

> Ohio's Greatest Citizen. COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 13.—Governor McKinley upon learning of the death of ex-Senator Thurman said: "The death of Judge Thurman is a deep loss to Ohio and to the nation. His long and useful public career, characterized as it was by nobility of purpose and purity of character, endeared him to the hearts of the people irrespective of party or politics. His death removes one of the nation's greatest statesmen and one of Ohio's greatest citizens, and all mourn his loss

as we would a beloved friend." Pure and Upright Man. Philadelphia, Dec. 13.-Ex-Senator Edmunds, one of the earliest political associates of Allen G. Thurman, expressed a most heartfalt sorrow at the death of his old friend. "I had hoped," said he, "that he would have recovered from his illucas. We were intimate for many years and I always entertained a most tender regard for him. He was a pure and upright man and left a good impression everywhere. As to his ability, he was confessedly the peer of any-one on the Democratic side of the

Colored Men Meet.

DETROIT, Dec. 13.-The national conference of Afro-Americans, called for the purpose of discussing the matters | feature of the past year was the fact relating to the welfare of the race, be that 515,000 acres of wheat land had gan in Second Baptist church yestergain to Second Dapits Chief to an explained, that the country was done willed some influence in politage and the scarcity of proming a following amount solves a rest solved leaders was very notice: ent colored leaders was very notice able Circuit Court Commissioner D. Augustus Straker delivered the address of welcome.

At the evening session John Brown was eulogized by several speakers, chief of whom was the Rev. J. M. Townsend of Chicago. The sessions will be continued today and Saturday.

Official Corruption Exposed.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Dec. 13.—An important action has been begun in the United States court which involves a question of \$1,000,000 worth of property and lays bare a story of corruption

of municipal officials in this city. complainant is in the consolidated water company which controls the San Diego finme and the San Diego water companies now supplying that city

Pedding Their Plunder.

London, Dec. 13.-A dispatch from Constantinople says: For days past Turks and Kurds have been pouring into the city from the devastated regions of Asia Minor. Their primary object is the disposal of the loot which they have obtained during the massacres. They are also hopeful of a richer harvest in the event of the sultan's permitting a rising at Stamboul.

Switzerland's President.

BERNE, Switzerland, Dec. 13.-M. Adrien Lachenal, who was vice president for 1895, has been elected president of the republic for 1896. He is a Radiound go and Neary was almost out cal in politics and his home is in the gong sounded. been elected vice president of the republic for 1896.

Woodworkers Organize.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13 .- The Brotherhood of Carpenters with 60,000 mem bers will organize the 8,000 members of the small woodworkers' unions into one organization tonight. The union will then be attached to the brotherhood.

More Graves Robbed.

TOPERA. Dec. 13.-J. L. Cathbert, a reputable citizen, came to Topeka last night and reported that 30 graves were examined in Rochester and the Catholic cemeteries and that 21 of them were empty

Fitzimmone Willing.

New York, Dec. 13.-According to Joe Vendig Fitzsimmons has withdrawn his objections to meeting Peter Maher for the \$10,000 purse offered by Dau Stuart of Texas, and has also agreed to the date named by the Texas match-

THE QUAKER CITY

Stirred Up by Senate Investigating Committee.

VICE AND ORIME ARE RAMPANT.

Rev. Gibbons Says All Forms of Immor ality Abound In the Fifth Ward-Vicious Class Protected by Political Influence-Lurid Picture of Chinatown-Police Protecting Gamblers.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 18.—There has perhaps never been an occasion in this onsly abused. city when the prevalence of vice, immorality and crime has been so prominently brought before the public as at yesterday's session of the senate investigating committee when Lawyer Pettit resumed the inquiry into the police bureau. Evidence was given in a general way indicating that houses of ill tame, "speak easies," policy shops and opium "joints" flourish in the police districts, in the slums and under the very eyes of the patrolmen, with apparently but lit-

tle interruption. Rev. Dr. Gibbons, a Presbyterian clergyman hving in the slum district of the Fifth ward, drew a most harrowrowing picture of the condition of things there. Immorality in all shapes and forms was openly visible and had defied the efforts of the best citizens to stamp it out. The police, he said, were well awars of it and had said they were unable to do anything. The vicious class, he said, seemed to be protected by a powerful political influence that con-rolled all elections The police openly electioneered on such occasions. knew of policemen who had made efforts to better affairs who were discharged from the force. The same kind of testimony was given by Rev. H. L. Phillips, a colored Eniscopal clergyman. as to the slum section of the Fourth,

Seventh and Eighth wards,

A general idea of the condition of things in "Chinatown" on Race street, above Ninth, was given by John Duke, janitor of Redman's hall. Opium places were abundant, gambling everywhere, and Chinamen consorted with the most degraced of white women. All this under the eyes of the police. At one time, he said, 32 gambling tables were in operation in this small section, and \$15 from each of them was laid aside each week for the police, he understood.

Engene Lyon, a private detective, told the committee of an investigation he made as to the number of houses of ill fame he had found in 13 police districts. They amounted to 629: 280 were in the Eighth district and 115 in the Sixth district. These two comprise the Philadelphia "tenderloin." He said Margaret Langdon, one of the keepers of a house in the Eighth district, had admitted paying Special Officer Ritchie money for protection. The woman being placed on the stand denied ever paying any money.

WHEAT-GROWING IN ENGLAND. Decrease of Area During the Past Year 513,000 Acres.

LONDON, Dec. 13 .- At the annual congress of the National Agricultural union yesterday the Earl of Winchelsea made the opening address. He said that the ceased to grow wheat. This meant, he grown food, and that 20,000 laborers were thrown out of work, which, iucluding their families, showed that 100. 000 persons had been driven from the

The earl said: "We are becoming more and more dependent upon foreign and, possibly, hostile countries."

DANCE OF DEATH.

Citizens of Texas Engage In a Quarre

That Ends In Murder. GIDDINGS, Tex., Dec. 13 .- A difficulty occured between Andrew Damron and two brothers, Stock and Tom Wesson, at a dance at the house of John Steles about 10 miles north of here, in which Damron was shot and instantly killed by Tom Wesson. Wesson came in and surrendered.

Kentucky Duel. NICHOLASVILLE, KY., Dec. 13 .-- A feadly duel with knives, as the result of rivalry between two Jessamine connty young farmers, was pulled off on the public highway, thirteou miles from this city last night. Thomas Perkius received a death wound in his side and Adry Hunter was badly cut about the chest. The trouble was about a young woman to whom both had been paying attention.

Held on Another Charge.

TORONTO Dec. 13.-In the trial of Arthur A. Dicks for the murder of his wife, the alleged reason being to obtain some \$20,000 insurance on her life, the judge, after hearing the evidence for the prosecution, withdraw the case, not considering there was proof of murder. The man is still held for arson.

Strike Settled.

New York, Dec 13.-After a struggle which has lasted for nearly four weeks the strike of the housesmiths was settled yesterday. At a meeting of the executive committee of the Housesmiths' and Bridgemen's union held last night at Clarendon hall, the strike was formally deciared ended.

Russian Warehips at Port Arthur. Sax Francisco, Dec. 13 .- The Tier T-tu correspondent of the North China Mail says that on October 24 there were

five Russian men-of-war inside of Port

Arthur and mue outside.

On a Secret Mission. LONDON, Dec. 13.-Senor P. E. Martinez of Caracas. Venezuela, is here. It is understood that he was sent to Great Britain on a secret mission by President Crespo of Venezuela.

FIFTY-FC STH CONGRESS. Semate.

Washington, Dec. 13.-The proceed-

ings of the senate yesterday were more var'ed than auteresting. They covered the entire range of legislation from the introduction of petitions, bilis and resolutions to the passage of bills, and incinded two formal addresses.

Mr. Peffer (Pop., Kan.) spoke upon his bill to regulate congressional funerals. His attention had first been called to this question by charges made in the newspapers, and after investigating the matter he had concluded that the system now pursued had come to be seri-

He instanced the obscopies of the late Senator Plumb, in which he had participated, and said that while the cost of that funeral had amounted to over \$3,000, the average value of an American farm, he had learned that the terly movements amount fell below the average.

Mr. Peffer declared that the expendi-

tures on account of funeral expenses were continually growing, until the average cost had increased to \$4,542. The last 13 burials of the 73 which had occurred from the senate had cost more than all the other 60. Of the 107 sena-tors who had died while in service the expenses were greatest in the case of the late Senator George Hearst of Cali-forms, whose funeral cost the govern-ment \$21,322. He objected to regarding the treasury as a subject of common plunder for those who choose to prey upon it, and said the best way to get rid of the odium of such a custom was to stop it. He asked in conclusion that the bill be made the unfinished business of the senate.

The senate then went into executive session, and at 2 p. m. adjourned till

The House.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Ex-Speaker Grow (Rep., Pa.) made a speech in the house yesterday of almost an hour on the portion of the president's message referring to the tariff, in which he compared the old protection tariff laws with the new customs law. He showed that the new tariff law up to Dec. 1 had produced a deficiency of \$131,000,000, while is only about 51x leagues southeast of under protection measures from 1890 to the city of Santa Clara. 1898 the revenues had exceeded the expenditures by \$1,310,000,000. He attributed the depletion of the gold reserve to the payment of currency defice choics out of the reserve, and maintained that the greenbacks would not menace the reserve if there was suffi-

cient revenue It being apparent that Secretary Carlisle's report would not be ready this week the house adjourned over until

Chinese Troops Routed. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—The Heien Fn correspondent of the North China Daily News writes that the Mohammedan rebels in the northwest are spreading. So far the Moslems are having it all their own way, as the Chinese are unwilling to fight. The imperial troops ent against them have been annihilated, 20 battalions being utterly routed.

The Paris Exposition. WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.-Representative Cummings of New York presented a petition, numerously signed, urging that immediate action be taken upon the invitation from the French govern-

ment to our country to take part in the

international exposition at Paris in 1900.

Overdue Steamer Arrives. Halifax, N. S., Dec. 13.—The overdue Dominion liber Scotsman has arrived after battling with storms for 12 Reid, former president of the lowa days She left Laverpool Nov. 30 and Electrical Medical association, was arencountered a succession of westerly rested yesterday charged with murder gales, some of them developing into in the second degree. It is alleged that genume hurricanes.

Turks Got the Worst of It.

ATHENS, Dec 13 .- An official report says that a strong Turkesh force on Tue-day twice attacked the positions occupied by the Christiaus at Vryse in the sland of Crete. The Turks lost 3 i killed and wounded, while the Christians' loss

Chicago Gas Company Wins.

CHICAGO, Dec 13.-Judge Horton dismissed the bill filed by Louis A. Levin, in which he asked that a receiver be appointed for the Chicago Gas company.

Weather Indications. For Olno-Generally fair, preceded by loca

snows in eastern portion; easterly winds warmer in western portion. For Indiana - Generally fair: northerly winds shifting to southerly; warnier For WestVirginia-Local snows, followed by

iair: cold, northerly winds. Prizägnter Killed.

OTTAWA, Ills , Dec 13 .- An unknown negro said to have come to Ottawa from Chicago shot and instantly killed Barney Finegan, a prizelighter of some note, m a saloon. The negro escaped.

Ex-Governor Campbell Holds a Levet WASHINGTON, Dec. 13 -Ex-Governor Campbell of Ohio was on the floor when the house mot yesterday and held quite a levee in the rear of the Democratic Fulbs _____

IMPORTANT NEWS PELLETS. Quality, Not Quantity, Is What You Get From This Dispensary.

The ore shovelers of Ashtabula, O., have called their strike off. The Iron Review of Cieveland says the out bok for iron is brighter.

Fire destroyed the grandstand and stables

at Concy Island race track. The White Paper company of Dayton, O. has gone into the hands of recovers. The extra guardships of England and Italy have passed through the Dardanelles owing to

trouble at Stamboul. In the past 11 months silver shipments from the Paulic coast to Chinese and Japanese mar kets have been \$15,500 900.

Mr William Rockefeller's daughter Emma was married to Dr. D. Hanter McAlpin, Jr., of New York at Tarrytogn, N Y.

A communication has been received at London from the Armenians saying 100,500 Armenians have been murdered and 530,000 are in the mountains subsisting on roots and herbs. The letter closes as follows. "In the name of humanity and Christianity save us."

AFFAIRS IN CUBA.

cessful Landing.

Quintin Brave Near Zulein at the Hand of a Large Force-Suarez Moving lo-

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Dec. 12 -A dis- Brings Suit to Enjoin Postmaster From patch by carrier pigeon announces the safety of the expedition which sailed from here Dec. 7. The same messenger brings word that Gomez retrieved Postmaster From to enjan him from his position in Cuba by a series of mas- marking mail addressed to the company

From Spanish Sources.

the insurgent leader, is known to be moving near Zulets at the head of a considerable force, and Ignacio Sumez, another of the insurgent loaders, has this particular one, by reason of its syspassed Mata, toward Laltosa, intending , tom of paying bonds, is a lottery.

recently captured, has been tried by Farmer Schad and Family Beaten Almost courtmartial and sontenced to death The Espana battalion has arrived at Tunas and Jucaros General Martin left for the front and General Pando

leaves on Sunday
Twenty musicians belonging to volunteers at Sautiago de Cuba have joined the insurgents. The insurgents are preventing the grinding of augar cane at the plantation of Trimidad, near Santo

General Campos on the Move. Madrid, Dec. 13 .- Advices received here from Havana are to the effect that

their forces and are now encamped at Baez, in Santa Chara Province. Baez

ARMENIAN RELIEF.

BOSTON, Dec. 13.-The news that Armenia had cabled an appeal for help to London was taken in missionary circles here as undeniable evidence of the desfrom Turkish depredations and have ny. Sidney, increase of capital stock been deprived of everything they possessed by murderous infidels Rev. Judson Smith, D. D., secretary of the American board of foreign mission com-

missioners, said: "The statements are entirely credius shows the number killed to reach only about 50,000, since our latest advices were sent there have been a number of additional massacres which may

the appeal The appeal Dr Smith then alluded to the relief privilege of renewal. work of the missionaries of the board. and said they had been hampered much through lack of funds. Up to yesterday \$11 976 had been received by those having in charge the Armenian relief final Money is being cabled to Control of tons of ore were shipped by water from fund. Money is being capied to Constantinople as soon after its receipt as the mines. This breaks all previous possible.

DAVENPORT, IA., Dec. 13 -Dr. J. A. in the second degree. It is alleged that he performed a criminal operation which resulted in the death of Mrs. Jennie L. Carney of Iowa City in Davenport last Sanday. Dr. Reid fur mshed \$5000 bail.

London, Dec. 13.—The Prince of Wales, while shooting on Sir Edward Lawson's estate in Beaconsfield, had some grains of powder blown from his gun into his right eye. A doctor was summ med and applied for cutations and cocaine which allayed the pain and enabled him to return to London in the

evening.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Dec. 13.-The Bethlehem from company yesterday shipped turret plates, sighting hoods and accessories for the new United States battleship Oregon and the armored cruiser Brooklyn to San Francisco, where the

plow shops were almost destroyed by fire last night. Only the offices and foundry, which were brick structures, and the warehouses were saved. Loss probably \$159,000. Three hundred men are thrown out of work

for alleged complicity with G. P. Gifford in the grave robbery case at Norwich, Vt., was held in \$2,000 bond for his appearance before the grand jury at Woodstock.

Injunction Granted.

junction returnable today, restraining the receiver's sale of the Long Island Traction company's stock, which was to have taken place in this city. North Carolina Town Scorehed.

President Heard From.

Last Expedition Makes a Suc-

GOMEZ RETRIEVES HIS POSITION.

ward Matauzas-General Campos Also Bound For the Same Province-Rebel Loaders Near the City of Santa Ciara,

HAVANA, Doc. 13.—Quintin Bravo, The company is one of the quick forto invade the province of Matauzas.

Acebo, the insurgent leader who was

Domingo, province of Santa Clara.

Captain General Campos has suddenly started for Matanzas. The insurgent generals Gomez and Maces, still continue the advance of

Commission Much Hampered Through Lack of Funds.

Charged With Murder. a criminal operation

Used a Poor Gun.

For the New Battleshins.

ships are 12 course of construction Plow Works Destroyed. Monmouth, Ills , Dec. 13 -The Weir

Held For Grave Robbing.

HANOVER, N. H., Dec. 13 .- John Mc-Donald, a Dartmouth medical student,

NEW YORK, Dec. 13 .- Justice Gaynor in Brooklyn yesterday granted an in-

dead WINSTON, N. C. Dec. 13.-Dobson, the county seat of Sarrey county, was visited by a serious conflagration yes- Gu-t, with chairs, fricturing his skull terday. A block of buildings was deand check bone. He can not live.

NORFOLK, VA., Dec. 13.-President

Cieveland and party had a good day's sport. The weather is intensely cold.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

Yal Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE

QUICK FORTUNE CONCERN

Marking Its Mail Fraudulent States circuit court the Interstate Savings, Loan and Trust company sued "fraudulent" and returning it to the writer as he has been doing under instructions of the postmaster general. tune concerns of which several are in operation in this city and using the mails, but the government claims that

WHITECAPPERS AT WORK.

to Death.

Marierra, O., Dec. 13 - Masked villams broke in the door of Farmer James F. Schad's residence, boat Mrs. Schad into insensibility with a club and dragged her out into the snow. Next they took Schad and his son out. stripped them entirely naked, lashed them to trees and whipped them until they were almost dead. A daughter who interfered was knocked down, bound and gagged. They were found by neighbors Thursday morning almost frozen to death.

New Incorporations.

Columbus, O. Dec. 13.—The Tod House Turkish Bath company, Youngstown, capital stock \$1,000; the Hawley Down Draft Furnace company, Cincinnati, capital stock \$300,000; the Wilmot Hotel company, Chiveland, capital stock \$12,000; The Chronicle company, Mansfield, capital stock \$10,000, the Deis-Ferius company, Dover, capital stock \$50,000; the Goyer & Davidson Abstract and Loan company, Paulding, capital stock \$5,000; the Brethren church, West Independence: the Mercautile Building and Loan company, Cincinnati, increase of capital stock from \$500,000 to \$1,000,perate need of those who have suffered | 000; the Sidney Pole and Shaft compa-

A Contract With France.

ARRON. O , Dec. 15 .- A contract has been made with the Freuch government by which the Diamond Match company ble. Although information received by receives a bouns of \$100,000 for the use of its machines in the manufacture of matches, which is a government monopoly in that country. In addition to this, the company will receive \$100,000 bring the total up to 100,000, as stated in | 2 year during the life of the contract, which is made for five years, with the

> Lake Shipments of Iron Ore. CLUVELAND, Dec 13 -- Returns from all the iron ore shipping points on the

tons of ore were shipped by water from

than 1,000,000 tons. 3 GALLIPOLIS, O., Dec. 18. - An investigation is being made at Bidwell, this county, concerning the selling of adulperated botter. The butter is said to have been the cause of considerable

sickness. A sample has been sent to the state food commissioners.

Hon. H. S. Bundy Dead. Wellerfox, O., Dec. 13 -Hon. H. S. Bundy died at 1 p. m. He was a momber of the Oho legislature, presidential elector for Lincoln, and member of the Thirty-ninth, Forty-third and Fiftycongresses and father-in-law

of ex Governor Foraker.

It In Catching. LORAIN, O., Dec. 13 -Fifteen hun died lab were at the steel plant are pe (moning for cheaper streetear fares over the Tom L. Johnson live. The chemen fore system in Detroit started the movehent in this city.

Ward Laid Out at Last. XENDS, O. Doc. 13 - John Dean, alias

Ward, 10, to death in a fight about a woman. Ward had served two terms in the pentientiary and was considered a dangero is in th. Married a Foreign Name. CINCINNARI, Dec. 13 -- Miss Margaret Rives Nichols, stepdauguter of Bellamy

stover, was married to Louis Charles

Antonne Genlbert Pierre Pinton Marquis

'Benny" Thomas, 48, stabled Charles

'n Chamorun, of the French legation at Washington. Beick Works Shut Down. Atur es. O., Dec. 18,-The large fac ores of the Athens Brick company have closed down for an indefinite

print This will cause about 200 men

to seek employment elsewhere.

bulled by a Policeman. Chystlang, O., Dec. 13.-Policeman Familie attempted to arrest James Dagg who resided. Officer Smas came to

. Bie Skutt Censhed. Coven O. Dec. 13.-John Hoodock and Andrew Darkon assaulted Mike gists. Any reliable druggist who

Disemboweled Himself. DAYLON, O., Dec. 13.-John Van Dyne, 74, disemboweled himself with & penknife in an effort to commit suicide. He can not recover.

Patrolmen Mounted on Bicycles. New York, Dec. 13 - Last night the first squad of policemen mounted on Cincinnati, Dec. 13.-In the United | bicycles in this city went on duty. Hereafter 24 mounted patrolmen will constantly patrol Eighth avenue and the boulevard.

Cleveland Syndicate Gathers Them In. CLEVELAND, Dec. 13.—A Cleveland syndicate headed by John J. Shipperd has just closed a deal by which the entire streetear system of Fort Wayne comes into its hands.

Corporat Tanuer Gots & Place. WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Corporal Tanner has been given a place under the doorkeeper of the house of representatives, and will probably be assigned as a keeper at one of the house gallery

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—The jury in the case of R. H. McDonald for embezzlement of Pacific bank funds returned a verdict of bequittal.

McDonald Acquitted.

One of Many. Briggs-You know Gablets, don't

quaintance with him. - Indianapolis Journal. Rather Ambiguous. "There is no place like home," sighed

Braggs-Oh, I have a listening ac-

the bachelor. "That's a fact," said the family "there . ian't." - Detroit Free man,

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Quotations For Dec. 12. New York.

Beef-Family, \$9 00@11 53, oxtra moss, \$7 50 (\$8 00; packed, \$9 00@11 00 Ont ments-Pickled helites, \$43@54cc; pickled shoulders, \$6; pickled helites, \$44@54cc; pickled shoulders, \$6; pickled helites, \$4.005; c. Lard-Western steam closed at \$5.46. Fork-Old mess, \$1 00.6 0 50; family, \$12 75; short clear, \$12 400314 00 Butter-Western darry, 105, \$617c; for de creamery, \$70\$7c; do factory, \$90\$16c; folgins, \$7cc; initation creamery, \$10\$26c; saxst chary, \$12\$26; creamory, \$10\$26c; saxst chary, \$12\$26; creamory, \$10\$26c; part stims, \$12\$6 for full skins, \$20\$6c. \$Eggs-Bate and Pennsylvania, \$26\$25c; western fresh, \$10\$6c; Whost-60%c. Corn \$17\$c. Outs-\$25%c. Rys-42\$45c.

Chicago.

Chicago.

Cattle—Fair to best beeves, 13 2031 75; atock.
ors and feeders, 12 5131 35; maixed cows and built. 11 5130 50; Pexans, 22 5130 40; western, 22 25130 50; Pexans, 22 5130 40; western, 22 2513 50; heavy packing and shipping, 31 4683 55; maxel and butchers; 51 3530 56; heavy packing and shipping, 32 340 50

Sincep—Native, 11 7536 50; western, 12 0036 3 10; Texans, 11 7036 70; Lambe-33 5036 43.
Wheat—37530 Corn—255(3025).

Res—17540.

Cattle — Prime, \$4 1504 99; fair to good butchers, \$8 1003 90; buils, cows and stags, \$1 50 33 05; medium, \$3 55 9 3 90; roughs, \$2 7503 123, Sheer and lambs—Choice sheep, \$2 9073 20; common, 5003 125; choice lambs, \$2 3074 00; experts, \$3 1073 50

Pittsburg.

Cincinnati. Wheat—No. 2 red, 6tc. Coru—No. 2 mixed, 8c Oats — No. 2 mixed, 20c. Ryc—No. 2, Lard-45 15. Bulk ments-44 50. Bacon-15 50. Hegy-13 45@3 50. Cathle-13 25@4 to. Sheep, -18 00@3 50 Lambe-12 75@5 40.

Cattle—Steady,
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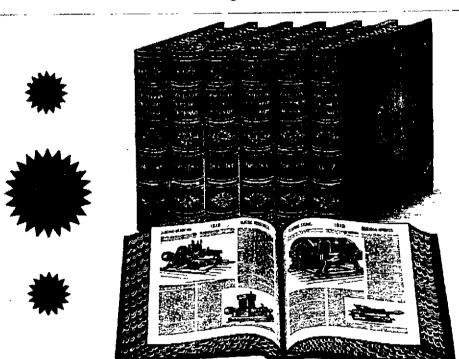
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ARTHUR POWELL.



A T the regular meeting of the Board of Education, of Chicago, held June 5th, 1895, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"That the business manager be instructed to purchase for each of the High schools, not already possessing them, a set of the AMERI-CAN ENCYCLOPAEDIC DICtionary, published by the W. B. Conkey Company."

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NOW GETTING READY

FOR THE BIG ENCAMPMENT OF I. O. O. F. BODIES HERE.

July of Next Year, but Great Prepara-

Canton Marion, with the other hodpreparations for the meeting of the some of the Burkes. Haley's condition Grand Encampment to be held here in is to be regretted. He is a young man tons of the state. It is now believed injured him, and on two occasions has gone on the Erie. that there will be one thousand Patriarchs Militant in camp here during has also used violence against others. the entire week, besides the one hundred and ten representatives to the meeting of the Grand Encampment and several hundred visitors. This is not all, however, for there

will be three gala days during the Patriarche Militant encampment. Thursday will be the big day, as on that oc casion the prize drill will occur. Al ready the railroad companies are making rates for that affair. The Big Four will run a special train from Cincinnati here and all of the southern' Ohio Odd Fellows will come on that train, or at a big representation of them. It is expected to entertain two thousand extra visitors on that occasion. Another gala day is to be enjoyed, besides Sun day, but that day has not been chosen. The committee of arrangements is now at work on a program.

General Whittaker will be here in January and will be obliged to make several visits to this city between that time and July. The program will be in accordance with the money that can be raised for the entertainment of the visitors. It is the wish of the local Canton and the various bodies of the d. O. O. F to, make the entertainment as elaborate as possible. Marion can afford to entertain these distinguished visitors. This will be an affair that will surpass anything that Marion has yet had the pleasure to enjoy.

It is probable that the Patriarchs Militant will go into camp at the Fair grounds, although that site has not been definitely chosen. The east end has also been spoken of and the encampment may go there.

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sack. 15c. Fine bulk rossted coffee, per lb., 22c, or 5 pounds for \$1, and everything else that can be found in a first-class grocery store at the right prices. Court & Rice. AGAIN ESCAPED.

Peter Haley Eludes the Columbus Asylum Officials.

Peter Haley has again escaped from the insane asylum at Columbus and is looked for here at almost any time. He made his escape last Saturday and has not showed up here so far, unless he has kept himself pretty dark.

When Haley was in a passion at the jail the last time he was arrested it will be remembered that he stated ies of the I. O. O. F., are making great that he would come back here and fix tried to kill members of the family. He

> All holiday goods, plush, leather wood, metal and celluloid, to be closed out at D. M. Odaffer & Co.'s. 17t2-wk

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Mantel Co., Louisville, Ky., writes Feb. 26, 1894: "For about a year I was a terrible sufferer from heart trouble, which got so bad I was obliged to sit up in bed to get my breath. I had to abandon business and could hardly crawl around. My friend, Mr. Julius C. Voght, one of our leading pharmacists, asked me to try Dr. Miles' Heart Gure. I had used little more than a bottle when the pain ceased and pulpitations entirely Corn meal (white or yellow), per disappeared. I have not had the slightest trouble since, and today I am attending to business as regularly as ever."

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Seventeen burly tramps kept Hotel Carlos alive Thursday night, and were ordered out of the city this morning.

Frank Long was allowed to go this morning, but with the understanding that he pay the balance of his fine on the 24th of this month. Long was with Frank Hamilton and the citizen that was looking for trouble just prior to his arrest, and says that Hamilton gave him the big knife that the mayor confiscated. Nothing as yet has been heard of Hamilton. He lives in Green-

Andrew Thompson, who was arrested Wednesday night, was released this rective morning, but before he was allowed to go he told the story of his life. He is an innocent young laborer, one of the kind of fellows who would doubtlessly blow out the gas if he slept at a hotel. He had five dollars and ten cents, remembers of spending two dollars and ten cents of the money and putting three away to go to his home in Licking county, and was called away by a

stranger and that was the last that he remembered until he awoke in a cell at the prison. Thompson had evidentis been robbed. There is a big scar over his nose and forehead that looks as if he had been struck. The Treasury Examined.

R. G. Young and H.E. Hill have completed the examination of the county treasury and found it in splendid condition. The bonds of the county ofticials are all deposited in the treasury. the books balance and everything is in first class shape. It was found that there was \$21.787.-

63 in the vault, of this \$2,225.42 belongs to the city fund, and there is also a surplus in the treasury of \$864.16. The amount of gold found in the

treasury was \$16,940, \$1,000 in greenbacks and \$3,817.63 in silver.

Drew the Comfort. The drawing to determine the owner

of the comfort made by the ladies of the G. A. R. was made Thursday afternoon, and No. 23 proved the lucky ticket. The owner of the ticket can secure the comfort by calling at 709 east Church street.

Come One, Come All.

All members of Sosnowski Rebekah lodge, No. 164, are requested to meet Saturday evening at 7:30 in 1, O. O. F. hall to make arrangements for a Christmas entertainment By order of

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Fine line of ladies' umbrellas for Christmas at Martin & Wiley's. 1712 German Croup Bemedy Marian, obio, November l. 1895.

Treasurer's Tax Notice

RATES FOR 1895 COLLECTION.

the second week of July and at the lof great strength, and is laboring unsertime the encampment of the Cander the delusion that the Burkes have time the encampment of the Cander the delusion that the Burkes have

In the pursuance of law, 1, C. W. LEFTLER, Treasurer of Marion County, Obio, do hereby notify the Tax-payers thereof, that the rates of taxation for the year 1885 are correctly given in the ratiosing table, showing the number of mills and parts thereof lavied on each dollar's valuation of taxable property in each of the several Townships, separate School Districts and Incorporated Villages of said County for each of the several purposes specified in said table:

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See Section 1001, 1084, 1085 and 2844 for the provisions of the Revised Statutes with reference to the Semi-Annual Collections of Taxes.

Real estate upon which any portion of the Taxes of 1894 remains unpaid on December 20th, 1895, will be advertised and sold on the third Tuesday of Janmary next for such unpaid portion and entire Tax of 1895.

The Treasurer's Office Will Be Open Daily, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, from 8 to 12 O'clock a. m. and from 1 to 4 p. m.

Road Receipts will positively be allowed only at the time the Tax is being paid, at FIRST PAYMENT OF TAXES DUPLICATE 1885.

Taxes will be received at Caledonia Deposit Eark January IS and 14, July 13 and 14, for Tully, Scott and Claridon Townships

"The LaRue Bank" 16 and 17 and July 18 and 17 for Bowling Green, Grand and Montgomery Townships,
"The Prospect Eark" 16 and 17 July 18 and 17 for Prospect Township.

C. W. LEFFLER, Treasurer, Marion County, Ohio.

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ARP CRITICISM.

AND TWEEDLEDEE.

ent of Chance as Considered by se and by the Postoffice Depart. The Lottery of Drawing Por отох, **Dec.** 12.—[Special]. as to be little doubt that a seri-

to institute important chances thods of doing business in the opresentatives will be made durming year. Not only is Speaker vor of some reforms—and what r has to say carries a great deal -but many of the most influenars think some improvements are it is now proposed to have an ral commission take up the ones. lucing the size of the hall so as the deliberations of the house to un in a chamber about one-half the one now used, wherein the hould not have desks, only seats.

The British System. the members are in favor of coorther. Mr. Towns of St. Paul, most studious and observing of ger members of the house, tells onvinced the day will come when a rican house we shall have the stem of interrogations of the As is well known, members of al cabinet take seats on the floor re of commons and in person anquestions which may be put to embers concerning the affairs of ment. Mr. Towns thinks it too

mempt to engraft this system government, but that it will day he has no doubt. It would cturesque and interesting addimachinery of government if we e cabinet officers seated on the ering contindrums propounded tesmen of that body. If this rule btain in America, I faucy some are now eager for appointment to sts would not be so anxious to a daily ordeal on the floor of the hile the English practice is to questions served the day before r to them is expected, thus givinisters time to prepare themoften happens that questions are lly which are not easily answered. et officer who should undertake the floor of the American house the keen lawyers of the opposi-y there lying in wait for him d to be pretty thoroughly master and his facts. wne suggests one improvement tht to be made at an early day nnial lottery for sants on the

ay of congress some of the best o drawn by the newar1 obscure while a number of the veteran and chairmen of important comere compelled to get along the could with back seats, or with ir to one side of the speaker's sto catch his eye is a matter of st difficulty. The house of repes, as now organized, is a big, body whose policies and legislairtually in the hands of a few is an axiom that legislation is committee rooms, and not upon and yet in the event of a close the house possession of a good e chairman in charge is of much Generally it is had policy to experienced members sitting far center of the house, and Mr. very sensible suggestion is that the chairmen of important come permitted to select their sent: e of the main body of representwas done by ex-Speakers Grow by unanimous consent, or

One Kind of Lotterive

Sam has a few rather gueer meth business of carrying on his great nt. Sometimes he is not con For instance, all summer long flice department has been doing suppress every phase of business ig a lottery. Judge Thomas, the general for the postoffice departo is charged with determining hing which involves chance at as guessing at the number of shot ed barrel, guessing what other il think or do and solving puz e there is no order of merit in the is a lottery. He has even gon to rule that in sending answers tiem which is not a matter of s. for instance, a mathematical it is chance, nevertheless, if pay rizes is made to depend upon th t postmarked. The judge holds a lottory as to who shall get his the postoffice earliest, and not

of diligence. rprising therefore to see the na makers, many of them the very passed this antilottery law, rea game of chance for distribu cir seats on the floor of the house barefaced gambling device was anywhere than the wooden but th numbered marbles which is in the house to determine the seats. To make the illusion mor te marbles are drawn out of the

blindfolded page boy. Precious Heiricoms.

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that of Mrs. Cleveland, and the s the bolder and more masculine WALTER WELLMAN.

Qualified to Judge.

ખી the reputation of being a good . I consider him the toughest citi-r struck!"

his remark the cannibal chieftain lid on the pot again and added to the fire.—Chicago Tribune.

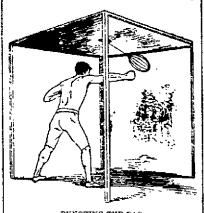
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GOOD HEALTH.

The Perfect Exercise Should Amuse, Refresh and invigorate.

Of course a min does not wish to derelop his hitting powers to become a pugilist, but the perfect exercise comes from the efforts of the boxers to develop



PUNCETING THE BAG.

these hitting powers, and there is no exereise that will compare with hitting the punching ball for general development of the muscles, a healthy stretching and working, but not a straining. The trouble with most exercises is that they either give one work where he has it already or they require some expensive or tiresome or time destroying method to attain their end.

Bicycling, for instance, is a capital form of exercise, but for one thing it gives one more exercise just where most men and women get the greatest part of their exercise anyway. If the bicycle was propelled by the arms instead of by the legs, it would be more suitable for

the greater unmber of those who ride. Rowing is an antidote for too much bicycling in that it exercises the arms and upper parts of the body, but it takes much time, and a hundred preparations are necessary for its thorough enjoyment. Football is a splendid game and full of all sorts of possibilities of fine development and strengthened frame. but it is almost impossible for the average business man a few years past boyheed. Horseback riding, lawn tennis handball and racket are all forms of exercise that might be discussed under the same caption, but all are open to the same objections—need of space and time and opportunity to play them.

Every one is not within reach of a good gymnasium, and when one is, it requires a good teacher to go in for this form of exercise intelligently and get out all there is in it without troubles that will last through life. The great danger of doing gymnasium work is the

strain of which one is always in danger. The New York Tribune, in view of these various obstacles in the pathway to proper exercise, recommends the fol-

What a normal man can take in the way of exercise is a few minutes every morning when he takes his bath. It should be of a kind to amuse, not weary to refresh, not tire; to invigorate, not strain. This kind of exercise is furnished by the latest development of the boxer's punching bag. The last thing in punching balls is a ball hung in a frame. which may be taken apart and is small enough to be placed in a good sized bathroom. Fencing, trap shooting, boxing, all included, there is nothing that so holds the attention and works the muscles as this latest evolution of the perfect exercise boxers and athletes have so long sought.

When you have secured one of these punching balls in a frame from any of the up to date gymnasium supply dealers, set it up in the bathroom, where it may be easily taken apart every day, if desired, and putting on a pair of light lottery law is or is not infringed, ed like a beaver, and with zeal little top of the frame, which represents the old time ceiling, as fast and as hard as of the department. He has middles and thousands of chance or of overdoing. You will be so tired in this tipe dust. He has ruled and the same that you will not by any middles are to be obtained at all the articles. There is also at found a big fly that was dead. The center by the seed bead and polled and streamers of a poppy. These poppy in the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. These poppy in the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. These poppy in the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. These poppy in the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. These poppy in the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. These poppy in the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. These poppy in the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. These poppy in the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. These poppy in the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. These poppy in the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. These poppy in the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. These poppy in the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. These poppy in the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. These poppy in the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. These poppy in the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. These poppy is the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. These poppy is the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. These poppy is the seed bead and streamers of a poppy in the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. These poppy is the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. These poppy is the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. These poppy is the seed bead and streamers of a poppy. a few minutes that you will not by any chance overexert yourself, and the exer cise will inflate every lung cell, break down every effete corpuscle in your blood and clear away every dead muscle fiber.

ETIQUETTE.

juggestions Made by an Experienced En tertainer Concerning Gifts, Menus, Etc.

It has become a fad among young peo ple, when offering birthday gifts, to select something containing the gem which belongs to the recipient's birth month. Modern jewelers have calcudars that indicate the gem for each month. At a birthday party each guest should wear his or her birth month jewel in some form or other, and at each plate the birth month flower should be placed. The menus may be decorated with the suitable birth month couplete, as Jan-

Gabriel as thy true divinity
Brings consolation and gives constancy.

Pillows, cushions and sachet bags of arious patterns and toilet boxes in variety, all stuffed either wholly or in part with the dry leaves of their special mouth flower, may serve as novelties in the way of birthday gifts. If covered with silk, they may be painted in heraldic designs which combine the monogram or initial, the zodiac signs and characters, also the birth month flower of the recipient. The donor's card may be fastened to the gift by a tiny pin containing the month gem. This same idea is suited to the making of wedding gifts. The following gems in literature are suggested by the authority quoted in The Ladies' Home Journal as a postprandial offering, each guest reading or reciting his or her own month offering:

January, "St. Agnes' Eve," Tennyson: February, "Afternoon In February," Longfellow: March. "A Morning In March, "Wordsworth: April, "Welcome to April," Tennyson; May, "An Evening In May." Walton: June, "A Day In June." Longfellow: July, "Rain In Summer," Longfellow; August, "Forest Hymn," Bryant; September, "Hymn For September," George Herbert; October, "Pleasures of An-" Keats: November, "Death of tunio, the Flowers." Bryant; December, "The Holly Tree," Southey.

FUR THE FAVORITE.

Fashionable Skins For Trimming-Every Variety Employed.

It is impossible for a chronicler of fash ous to avoid repeating hersolf in noting the most approved styles, especially in trimmings, and fur must again be men tioned as the reigning favorite this winter New ways of employing it are continually being sought out, and its value as a protection sinks into a secondary considera tion beside its capabilities for picturesque All varieties of fur are worn, and as the pelts of different animals show great diversity of color and furs are used in combination with each other there is

room for much originality of design and

idea to display itself.
Sable used to be considered only suitable for the wear of mature women, but now we have changed all that, and the richest furs are quite as likely to be seen upon a young person as upon a middle The same may be said of valu able lace and brocades. The question of age seems to be entirely set aside, and youthful fancy runs riot among the costliest furs and fabrics that the market of fers. The old fashion of reserving rich and sumptuous attire for maturity is rather a pleasing and certainly a reasonable one, however, for dignity and repose

seem more supropriate to magnificence



than do frivolity and activity. Moreover the beauty of youth is enhanced by simple styles and materials, while claborate and rich attire draws attention away from the

face and everpowers the charms of freshnes and delicacy. Fur is much associated with lace and with brilliant passementeries embroidered with jewels. It is likewise used in milli Sable in particular is worn by ev erybody who can afford it and forms the trimining of many dinner, reception and ball gowns as well as evening capes and

The illustration shows a gown of wool liagonal of old garnet color. skirt is trimmed with three rather narrow bands of sable. The jacket bodies has short rippled basque, edged with fur, and a wide collar of sable forming revers. bodice opens over a vest of white cloth embroidered with gold and fastening with gold buttons. The giget sleeves have three sable bands around the cuff. There is a high valois collar of sable, and a sable muff is carried. The hat of garnet felt is trimmed with garnet ribbon, fastened with paste buckles, and two con aigrets are placed at the sides.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

MILLINERY MATTERS.

Ribbons and Rosettes-Toques and Their Trimmings—Fashionable Veils.

parrow stripes and in plaids is employed the same nest. for hat and bonnet trimmings. This combination has lingered in favor for millinery

and always nice looking.
Chenille is employed for trimming as well as mingled in the felt braids now so

ficial flower counters for this purpose Toques are much worn this winter ar are composed of sable, astrakhan, chin chills or other for, combined with lace maste buckles and the revived violets.

Veils receive a great deal of attention a Some of the so called novelties are only the same old curved shapes in black not of various degrees of spottiness hardered with real lace in cream or white These heavily bordered veils are highly unbecoming, but that makes no difference to many women so long as the veils are



fushionable and expensive. Then there is he usual collection of impossibly brilliant veilings, the most pronounced specimen having green chemille spots. For good taste and becomingness black silver gray and white veils will continue to bear off

the palm, however. Fashion still demands that the hair he loose and walled in front and gathered in to a round knot at the back of the head. This knot is high or low, according to the hat to be worn over it. Chains of pearls are again seen woven through the hair as the heroines of old romance used to wear them, but high hair ornaments are preferred as being more "smart," smartness being the standard by which everything is

now measured. The sketch shows a cloth cape adorned with povel revers and finished around the neck with a medici collar of velvet matchng the cloth in color. It is trimmed with stitching and has six pearl buttons in front. The bat is of felt and has a draped front. The hat is of felt and has a draped knot of velvet in front and a group of plumes, while velvet flowers are placed at the back.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

I the children sing in the merry time. And similes and greatings leap to lips. That long were set in grief's eclipse, for single long is radiant glow.

the back

OUR YOUNG FOLKS.

The Searching Frost, the Wintry Gloom Could Not Iuvade the Cheerful Room. Ethe was quite alone one day.

For May and Ruth and gone tway With both the boys to slide and shale And were not coming home till eight.

Pilie was youngest of the five Whose romping kept the house alive, Up stairs, down stairs, with laughter light And merriment from morn till night. The searching frost, the wintry gloom, Could not invade the cheerful room—A haven sweet for girls and boys. With dolls and rocking horse and toys.

Through the high guard that screened th

The red flames shone, and leaping higher Along the walls and ceiling made A latticework of light and shade.

From colored pictures bright and fair Glad children looked with golden hair, And in its corner, quant and queer, A clock had stood for many a year.

It had a lean, old fashioned case, And yet a broad and smiling face Beamed where the long hands traveled round.
"Tick, tick," it said, with measured sound

Effic was tired of play and sat Down on the rug beside the est.
"I think it's getting late," she said,
"And time for me to be in bed."



HOWN ON THE RUG BESIDE THE CAT. The firelight showed the close shut door. Effic was lying on the rug. The cat beside her warm and snug.

Back from their skating. What was that? It surely annot be the cat. "Ah, now I see it's you, old clock.

"Gh, dear, what was that funny noise?

You really gave me quite a shock I might have guessed you spoke to me, You smiled so very pleasantly." 'Long since,'' the old clock said, "my dear,

When I was younger many a year, I knew a little girl like you, A merry to with eyes as blue. "It was your grandmamma, my child, And on her games I often smaled In this old nursery long ago As she went skipping to and fro.

"I am of course a trifle old, And though at times a wheezy cold Will catch my voice and shake my case I niways wear a cheerful face."

What sounds were these that, hammerlike Across the silence seemed to strike? Effic set up in great surpriso And stared around and rubbed her eyes.

She wondered where the voice had gone The clock was faintly ticking on, And some one, coming through the door, Was kneeling by her on the floor.

Nurse raised the sleepy child and said: "Miss Effic, dear, 'tis time for bed. The boys have come. It's getting late. The nursery clock has just struck eight."

Ants and Their Ways, A man who knows all about auts

mys that no one has ever seen a quarrel Black and white ribbon in wide and between any two of them that Lived in

Some of the ants guard the home, some feed the babies, some make roads purposes for some years, being becoming and new rooms, while others go out to get food. Each one seems to do its little duty without fuss or fretting. Once an ant found a big fly that was dead. The art pulled and pulled at it, but could not carry it off. After 20 minutes of hard work it went to the nest and came

> There are big auts and little ants white, black and red ants—a thousand kinds in all. One kind has servants to wait on them and feed them. They have become so lazy that they had rather die than take the trouble to feed them selves. Other ants keep cows. You have often seen these cows, but you did not know they were cows because they have no horns and long tails. They are the little green bugs that spoil our rose bushes in the summer. The ants are very fond of their milk, which is what we call honey dew. - Examiner.

When Christmas Comes When Christmas comes with mirth and cheer To clasp the circlet of the year. Then forth we go for holly and time. Our wreaths of evergreen to twine Then swift we trip across the snow To find the gleaming mustletce, And straight and tall and branching free We haste to choose the Christmas tree.



When Christmas comes, for mother and Kate All sorts of sweet surprises wait. And little fingers thrill with joy As pretty gifts their skill employ. When Christmus comes, each tries her best To make it beautiful for the rest. And no one thinks of selfish case. But seeks his neighbor to serve and please.

Shen Christmas comes, there is none so poof He will turn the berger from his door.
When Christmas comes, the rich and great
Search out their brothers of low estate.
And sleighbells ring, the church bells chime
The children sing in the merry time.



WORTH PRINTING.

The Editor of the Future Tells a Pathetic

Story. "It's a sad tale, a very sad tale, said the editor of the future reflectively, as she cocked her feet up on her desk and looked at the city editor over her glasses. "There's a chance for one of ice with the odor, while others, using the girls to everlastingly throw herself matural water, did not. This led him to in writing it up." "How did you run across it?" asked trace the odor to its source.

the city editor.

"I didn't run across it; it just walked into the office. You see, I used to know the woman in the old days, and so she hunted me up. She came in here about hulf an hour ago to ask for the loan of a dollar for the sake of old times, and she was so chauged in appearance that I was fairly startled and asked what had happened to her."

The editor of the future paused and shook her head sadly.

"Ah, it was a pitiful story of a wayward man's heartlessness!" she said, 'This wreck of a once bright and prosperous woman had met a demure, blue eyed youth and had loved him as only a strong woman can love. But it is unnecessary to go into all the details. The courtship was short and full of happiness for her. She dreamed of taking this beautiful young creature to her arms and acquiring the right to protect him from the rebuffs and the hardships of a cinel world. Then came the awakening. They were married, but, ah, how differ ent was the life that they led from the one that the strong, carnest woman had pictured! Her diushand really cared nothing for her and married her only to insure himself a good home. He proved to be a frivolous butterfly of fashion who had no thoughts above dancing and afternoon teas. Yet the per woman fairly worshiped him, and she worked herself almost to death to buy him pretty clothes and jewelry. She took almost lover's pride in her beautiful husband and seemed unable to deny him any thing that he wanted. But she couldn't keep it up-she wasn't rich enoughand finally"-

The editor of the future sighed and blew a whift of smoke from her cigar.

"Finally," she said at last, "it ended as such stories always end. He wanted more money to waste on his clothes and she had none to give. There were re- that glistens like metal, but is as pliaproaches, tears and he left her-ran ble as gauze. The obi always comes 414 away with a wealthy girl who had been attracted by his beauty and had promised him a life of ease and luxury."

"And she—the wife?" asked the city editor.

"She lost heart," replied the editor of the future, "and drifted from bad to worse. She felt she had nothing left to live for and began drinking to drown her sorrows. Of course that had a bad effect on her business, and in a little while she failed. Since then she has been a mere vagabond, a tramp, drifting from place to place and slowly drinking herself to death. Of course it which they are exerting themselves is is only another case of a promising young woman wrecked by a wayward and mercenary boy-the old, old story, in fact-but I think it can be dressed up for the Sunday paper so as to make a pathetic little story of life in a great city. I wish you would have it done by

one of your best girls." A few minutes later the editor of the future was deep in the details of a hair pulling match that was scheduled for the Chicago Athletic club for that even ing. - Chicago Post.

A Good Reason.

The first printer I ever met was named Nelson-Jesse Nelson. He lived the oldest house in the state and is in a Kentucky village and was one of situated just opposite Albany. The fort the place. He was exceedingly eccentric and a philosopher cellar marks its completion in 1642. withal. Many stories of him are told by The bricks used in its construction were the old folks in that village to this day. brought from Holland. The house was

One of them is this: His wife was a thrifty woman, and 1063 it was used as a rofuge for women she had several sons, whose clothing she and children. The attic is supposed to kept in the best possible order, but the he haunted by the ghost of Gertrade, father would go with his garments tat- the sister of the famous governor of tered and torn until common decency New Amsterdam, Wonter van Twiller. would force him to get a new suit.

One day some one said: "Why is it, Nelson, that you go with ragged clothes when your wife is such a famous mend- manded by Colonel Thomas Fitch, reer? Why don't you get your trousers patched?"

"Sir," said he, "a rent may be the accident of a mount, but patched breeches look like premeditated poverty, and I won't indorse that sort of thing, sir. "-Chicago Times-Herald.

One Way to Tell.



"Why, punch it, and see which end barks. "-Phil May's Winter Annual.

Looks Very Suspicious.

way of the grain."-Chicago Record.



There an Investiga r Thinks the Odor of Artificial les Originates

It has been noticed that most artificial ice, which is white (by reason of inclosed air), possesses a peculiar, strong and somewhat disagreeable odor, which is largely retained in the water resulting from its melting. Commenting upon this fact, a correspondent in Popular Science News says he had observed that flose ico factories using the distilled water-that is, the water condensed from the steam of the engine-produced look after the steam engine in order to Nearly all the modern steam engines

now lubricate the side valves in the steam chest and the piston by a special form of oil cup placed in connection with the pipe supplying steam to the cylinder. The cup is usually placed just above the steam chest and supplies oil drop by drop-say one drop per minute -which passes into the steam chest and cylinder along with the steam, and, of course, at the same temperature. As the oil is usually a heavy mineral oil and subjected to a temperature of over 300 degrees F., it will certainly be more or less decomposed and partially separated into its compenent parts. The more volattle and soluble constituents will go glong with the steam through the coudenser and appear in the distilled water.

This result is more probable from the fact that the oil is supplied one drop at a time and into the very hottest part of the engine. The odor is therefore thought to be due to the decomposition or partial distillation of the oil in the steam. How to eliminate the odor is another matter. To the correspondent mentioned the only way out of the trouble appears to be the use of natural water, discarding altogether the use of condensed steam.

Obis of Japanese Women.

The obis-the saskes which the Japincse women wear-are the most beautitul fabrics woven in Japan and are the pride of the women. A Japanese belle regards her obi as a European woman dees her diamonds, and although her wardrobe costs very little compared with that of her sister across the sea, twothirds of its value will be invested in her obi. These precious brocades absorb the most artistic patterns that the designers of Japan produce. They are as thick as leather and as soft as crape. It is amazing how the weavers can produce a combination of gold thread and silk yards long and 9 inches wide, and you can buy it at any price between \$8 and \$300. It is said that some of those in the wardrobes of the women of the upper cult in the old feudal times carried as much as \$500 worth of pure gold in their threads.

Where "Yankee Doodle" Was Written. The National Society of Colonial Dames of America is endeavoring to pre-vent the destruction of "the old mansion, Fort Craile." According to the New York Herald, the mansion for



OLD MANSION AT FORT CRAILO, N. Y. as begun in 1830, and a stone i besieged many times by Indians, and in

In 1756 Fort Craile was the headquarters of General Abercrombie. It was here that a colonial regiment, comported for service without uniform, their only distinction being a turker feather in their hats. A young English surgeon, Richard Schuckburg, was pres ent when the troops appeared and wrote the now famous lines:

Yankee Incelle came to town Riding on a pony, Stuck a feather in his but And called it "macaroni.

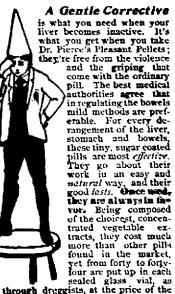
The Passing of the Sixte.

The slates and slate pencils which our fathers used and which were at one time referred to in the same breath with allusion to the "old red schoolhouse" will room be a memory of the past, re marks an exchange. No longer will young America cleanse the little wood bound piece of stone with fingers which the next instant find their way to the faces which were sent to school spotless ly elean by foud mothers.

Following hard upon the action of the New York city board of health, calling upon the school authorities to abolish the use of slates on the ground that they spread contagion, public school and health authorities in many cities and towns now have the subject under discussion and will probably likewise decree that the slate and slate pencimost go in favor of the convenient and cheap paper pad.

Ouill Pens Still Used.

Quill pens are still used by some old gentlemen who have always been accustomed to use them. They are used by with quill peas.



vor. Being composed of the choicest, concentrated vegetable extracts, they cost much more than other pills found in the market, yet from forty to forty-four are put up in each sealed glass vial, as sold through dreggists, at the price of the cheaper made pills.

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Accept no substitute that may be recommended to be "just as good." It may be better for the dealer, because of paying him a better profit, but he is not the one who needs help.

who needs help.

A free sample (4 to 7 doses) on trial, is mailed to any address, post-paid, on receipt of name and address on postal card. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

A Soulless Skentis.

"I'm tired," remarked the speciacu-lar scoffer, "of reading these stories about the wayward son or the disewned daughter who invariably comes back on Thanksgiving day or Christmas to be

received into the bosom of the family." "Why," replied his wife, "how hard hearted you are! Surely you must be touched by their repentance.

"Not as much as I'd like to be. I'd be more impressed if they'd select some day for coming back home when they aren't dead sure the family is going to have reast turkey for dinner.''—Washington Star.

An Ohio Father's Enby.

"My wife received a sample bottle of Hand's Colic Cure. Dr. Hand's Cone Cure. For your months she hardly took her clothes off baby cried so. The sample of Dr. Hand's Colic Cure worked like magic. I went right to the drug store and bought a 25c bottle and a bottle of Dr Hand's Pleasant Physic, and we are ruly grateful that such relief has some to baby and to us."—Respectfully, deo. M. Vaught, Delaware Ohio.



Visitor-At what time do they dine

ere, little one? The Little One-As soon as you have

one.—La Caricature.

Rettef in Bir Hours Distressing kidney and bladder dis-asses relieved in six hours by the New Freat South American Kidney Cure. this new remedy is a great surprise on secount of its exceeding promptness in elieving pain in the bladder, kidneys tack and every part of the urinary pasages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing t almost immediately. If you want juick relief and cure this is your rem-

idy. Sold by W. B. Foye, drugglet Marion O Cable Fourteen Hundred Miles Long.

Brazilian advices state that the steamer Faraday will shortly leave Eugland with the cable which is to be laid in the Amazon river from Para to Manaos. This enterprise is being carried out by au English company under an exclusive contract with the Brazilian government, The line will be 1,400 miles long and will have 16 intermediate statious.

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Allen's Discovery for Piles will cure blind, bleeding and itching piles when all other treatments have failed. It stops the itching at once, cases the stops the itching at once, cases the soreness, acts as a poultice and absorbs the tumors. It is a new discovery that cures piles. Prepared only for piles and itching and chafing, and nothing else. Ask today for Allen's Discovery. Sent by mail, 50%. Address Allen's Discovery, Box 88 LeRoy, N. Y

His Inning.

Jack-Billy, did you have any fun while your wife was away? Billy-Didn't I, though! I put up every stove in the house without any

body to boss me. -Chicago Record. Eboumation Curof in a Day.

"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. "Do you know, Clara, I believe young De Smyth is in love with me?"
"You don't say!"
"Yee, he stood talking to me last in its laid prior to the moroduction of steel night, brushing his silk hat the wrong war of the grain."—Chicago Roosed with quill tone

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Local News on Pages 2, 4, 5, 7 and 8

When the present snow leaves the be temporarily settled.

The Ohio Republican league will hold the annual Lincoln banquet at Columbus, February 12.

defaulted. In many respects the new woman is very much like the old man

The Fostoria Times declares that the democratic party fattens on defeat. In which event we fear it will soon be in need of a big supply of anti-fat.

Ex-Senator Ingalls is out in favor of General Harrison for a renomination for the presidency. There does not appear any way in which the ex-president can gracefully avoid the Ingalls support, either.

supper should be a square meal and not | years. a sham supper of crumbs of bread and drops of wine. It will be a strange of Marion, is spending the week with thing if this preacher don't find any number of people to agree with him

public speeches should be avoided. Mr Bayard seems to have forgotten this

Cubans defeated in their brave fight.

novelist, is the man making this dis

sixth-year hoodoo-and they buried it.

dacy and ability."

nity to talk to the senate on the exbe off in many things, but he will have no little sympathy in his efforts to cor-

The Fifty-fourth congress is not going to be allowed to drift along in the do thingo. Advisers as to what and record of its predecessor, and it may reasonably be depended upon to accept the opportunity presented. President Cleveland has promised his cooperation in any measure calculated to THE BOALT HOME

The Scene of a Five O'clock Tea Thurs day Evening.

Mesdames E. S. Boalt and E. A Seffner entertained about one hundred and fifty of their lady friends at 5 o'clock tea Thursday night, at the home of the former, on west Center street.

The Boals home was delightfully decorated with chrysanthemums and smilax and was throughout most beautifully cheerful and interesting.

Tea was served at small tables throughout the residence and all the guests were served at one time, the refreshments being most elaborate

The occasion was a most enjoyable one and will long be remembered by those present as one which not only gave great pleasure to the guests but added much to the reputation of the hostesses as perfect entertainers.

PERSONAL.

Joel E. Osborne is here from Mans-

John Butler, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is in

Frank Wallace spent Thursday in Columbus.

J. P. Breen has returned to his home n Dayton. F. J. Titus attended a ball in Laliue

Chursday night. Dr. F. W. Thomas spent Thursday at

Ipper Sandusky on business. Maurace Breen was at Upper San-

dusky on business Thursday afternoon. C. M. Burton, route agent of the American Express company, was in the city Thursday.

George W. Turney was the guest of relatives in the city today, enroute white fulle at the ellows. The stamachfrom Chicago to New York.

day in attendance at the meeting of the Ohio liotel association at that Miss Allen, of Lowell, Mass, who is

D. O. Young was at Cleveland Thurs-

spending the winter in Ohio, is visiting and these were made of the tulle. her cousin, Mrs. Oscar Gompf, on High Emmet Decker was at Columbus to-

tions for the holiday trade at Uhler. Phillips & Company. Mrs J. W. Woodward, of Beebe, Ark., and Miss Kate Hickock, of Springfield,

day, getting pointers on store decora-

O., are guests of their nephew, F. M. Pittinger, on south State street. Jacob Kranor, of Kendallville, Ind. is visiting his brother, David Kraner and family, on Silver street. The brothers had not met before in several

LaRue News - Miss Mary Lippincott LaRue friends. She will remain until after the dedication of the new Methodist church.

Hurt at Upper Sundasky.

[Upper Sandasky Union.] Michael Guinan, a brukeman on a Hocking Valley local freight, met with serious accident here last evening. He was in the act of turning a switch opposite the passenger depot to allow a cut of cars to run in on a siding. After the engine had passed he throw the switch and did not notice the cut coming so near. The latter struck thim with great force to the platform, ten shape, one end being quite long and the time and was removed to the depot end is about two-thirds the length of where Dr. R. N. McConnell was called. It was found he had a had scalp wound this train and then to Columbus on removing a portion of his skull and also Democrats are making much of the setting his shoulder. This is what Confact that St. Louis as a convention city ductor Flannagan, who saw the opera-

epologetic.

He are be were walking along. The is not going to o regen nonself in any such ta limit is that

her and gave her a taptimous less upon I garment. A pattern can be cut or purher blocming check, although he had a l good deal of it himself, and then he equal of her with vigor, imprinting as second, tured, femily, fifth, sixth and so? on hiss with presentate aider

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"Su" she finally exclaimed, "you forget yoursen?"

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shame facedly. "Lalways had a wretched

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A Handsome Exeming or Reception Cown, White Talketa Dress For a Young Girl. New Fans. A Stylish Wrap and How to

Isp. of Conspiring 1

NEW York, Dec. 9 -I have not a enquainter et mora printesqui diess this so won then one intended for evening and grand reception. The governorof blue and gray stoped. Dresner solk, the gray stripes having disper hate flowers of pank and green. The shat was in a demorant in the back and opened a front over a perfect of white



satin very nichly brocaded in silver in an enormous design. There was a sort of thmather front of the same brounds and around the aunt there was a bias roll of the striped silk, and this was brought down to a chap point. The sleeves consisted of one very full puff of the stoped sith, with big fully bows of er was square across the front, making a polapadour neck. Around the back of the neck there was a wide double box plaiting of white surar, covered locsely with tulle, and two puts extended down the ordes of the stomarlar, reach ing from the collar to the point in front.

One white tailets diess for a young girl had a plaited fold of moss green crape down each side of the front breadth, brought into a width of about four inches. On that one on the right was set one of these bows 12 inches from the Lottom, and the left one had the bow placed above the Euce. The waist was blouse effect, with a white satin wrinkled belt, and at the back was another hig bow. The sleeves were low polls. Around the neck there was a simulated yoke, made of lace and a twisted puff of white satin and green crape, above which there was a puffing of table reaching to the kees that defined the square but high neck. This gown is intended specially for a very young Lidy.

Among the oddities are the new fan: The most of them are quite small and more for looks than real use. Some of them are square and made of fine crape of different colors, and these eith r edged with lare applique or delicately hand painted. White lace fans, with fine ivory or silver filigree sticks, are very beautiful. Some are made of exquisite point, with medallions left withont pattern. The lace is then laid over some delicately colored satin, and that hand painted. Black lace of various analyties is stretched over white crape the first.

our proces two center and two side back falls in deep folds to the sides The front folds over in showl style and E caught up in broken folds at the watst line. There is an immense shawl collar of gray fox. The sheeves are "flowing" with a border of the fur around them. The must should match This garment is very easy to reproduce. It requires 4% yards of 52 inch cheviot and 9 yards of farmer's satur for lunng writer a fended at first to state that aside from any interlining deemed they were wilking along the beach, but necessary, and which may easily be as the one for summer jokes is past be old. The may by of women have an then that they cannot do anything with for, and they pay all sorts of prices to It suffices that they were walking futurers. For and raccoon skins can be purchased really very cheapiy. It would Suddenly he threw his arms around tequire three facecon skins to trim this



CLOAR WITH SHAY LOOP, AIR

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and What Mr. Reed Is Willing It this case they did not say so. They did say Should Do-Pearis of Wisdom-An Inwhat one man had to say on the subject teresting Figure. before it would be possible to tell what

Washington, Dec. 13.-(Special]-One of the traditions of the American government is that the speaker of the house of representatives is second only to the presiare now having a very cord illustration of the truth of this tradition. From since the opening of congress it has seemed to all of us here in Wa hington that there are but two men in the United States. Their names, of course, are Grover Cleveland and Thomas B. Reed. The power wielded by the fermer of course needs no description. They se with which he may mold public senting on, the weight that is attached to his sugnited uttinance, the great testals of war or peace that may follow the convolutions of his brain are well not derstood. When the presidence speal settle. testion listens. His arguments may be these of his secretary of the treasury, his thetoric may not irref the approval of the he percritical, but what he has to say goes to the uttoemost parts of the hand, is read

A Master Hand.

opportunity to observe, the speaker of the late party Mr Read's brief r marks in the project fact in the great quadrennial Republican cancus a week ago Saturdoy struggle next year night, a speech made purposely brief in the self confidence of a man who help cos himself not only a master hand in thinking, but In theteric were taken up and tuded and analyzed and comen need uponand viewed in all the possible her, is where ever American voters assemble or American newspapers are read

The interest of the situation is greatly heightened by the obvious for that these two areat then are rivals, that ever fears without being fond or the ther, that cach is determined to play his hard with reference to the nims and and toons of the rival. It is not beyond the realm of the rival. It is not by and the radiu of the arom of the favorite fraham nathers probable that these great leaders may so for Mr. Reed is row a taster of both ital agerly watching one another from oppome ends of Perus; bank around part berival candidates for the presidence next anglesm of the law, and I am good to see. At any rate both comes have the his bead has not been founded by sacce possibility of such a thing in mind. That Mr Reed is an open cambeline for the nomination of his party evely one knews. No one knows whether Mr. Cleveland wants the presidency again or v1 of er he does not. His intunate regules like Actor. lefferson and Broker Bow Let, think be does not. Other intimate frierds who are with the president every day, members of the calumet who are has object and per-sored associates from kills would necest if nonmated. They tell meso. The agree that Mr. Cleveland dees not want poor igain. He is tired. He would goodly to the to a well carned rest. That there is other considerations. The contract of the genetes Mr. Creseland might de so addity to straid again for the product dense, even if the did so to the constant penning defeat. If the matter she did to decline M. E. Cauren, and has the decline to be thrust at 21r Clevely law. this digit and find on the look of the pelt this light, by the force of approach as and marked out with shalk. A sharp had some sensors are not be predicted out with shalk. A sharp had some sensors are not be out if knote -never sers-ors-can eas by cut it. mass main its framis behave be would re-Bir. Beechs Op.nion.

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THE ONE MAN POWER. In the necessities of the government in another half the Republicans of the senate and house were interviewed concerning the missage and whole nearly all of them expressed the same opinion, this expression did not seem to settle anything. Usually what Mr. Cleveland Asks Congress to Dr (Clusive Men would say, "The party is of one rand, and that settles it.

was to be done or was not to be done, and it is searcely necessary to say that that man was Mr. Reed Even now, after Mr. Reed has let fall a dent of the United States in power. We few more pearls of wisdom there is still much doubt as to the precise nature of the policy which he has resulved upon. At the same time there is general agreement that what he does decide upon will be done; that he has only to speak and his

party will obey A Highty Responsibility.

Could there be a more striking example of individual power magness government: Probably the Bruish people, nor the French, for the German, have any parallel for it. Powerful as their political haders often are, it is care that all legisla-tive notion, all constructive effort, is found to lie within the bollow of one man's hand. Not to pretstate the case, I will Not to theistate the case, I will and that this means in Mr. Reed's cast the action of the house of representatives The righest and most elegant "all define interests parts of the annual range of the right branch of congress of the widespread in every nork and graining of the hard seem this season is a the widespread republic the widespread in parts of the widespread republic that the widespread republic the widespread republic that the widespread repub No one believes his power extends to the any measure which he chose but no one But as we have of 1 to had abundant could assure him of its success in the sen-ppertuning to observe, the smaller of the art. His power over the popular branch. house is almost a parallel in power. This lowe ar, is sufficient to enable him to is especially true when the occupant of committal party. It is enough to place that chair charactes to be a man of great within his keeping, aimost directly and intellectual strength, of positive character absolutely, the right to say what shall be intellectual strength, of positive theracter—absolutely, the right to say what shall be and of acknowledged leadership in his the chief reactefore the people when the

> I have been reach interested in watching Mr. Read through thes formative je riod. He has had on his mind not only the general policy of 11s party, questions tranglet with anomera as emisequence to that eight afor and the courtry and fo his ewn political fortun so but be bus been har, sold by a thousand considerations of a personal and delicate nature in making up les comput es. Ye through it about has been composed snoting, calm, cherry good natured, patient. He has insieted mon taking his exercise every day. He has even had time to read a few pages an and Yearth and can decreal Spanish. He is without aniestion the most interest. ing man of the lay, and I am good to say ro the simile dy or his character marted WALLEY WELLSAN

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a fair ster of the M. E. church, and has it arred by his element serious. His wide collect know his real mame antil they ruched his former home. Minmel s cas has long since been filed to y, but he says he will have it red of rod at the next term of the March--Can innut! Empirer.

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When Ambassador Bayard was secretary of state, one of the rules he laid down for the guidance of American ministers abroad was to the effect that

when he became an ambassador. Spain has raised \$120,000,000 in England, giving Cuban bonds as security, and the money is to be used in crushing the native armies fighting for close to the shoulder, knocking him to close are aften of a very unequal

liberty. It will be seen that England will be greatly interested in having the feet away. He was unconscious for a middle hollowed in, while the other One Englishman has returned home and announces that he was greatly im and was quite badly hurt about the pressed with the magnitude of the shoulder. The proper attention was long cleak made of clerc woven black

American continent. Hall Caine, the given him and he returned to Fostoria English chevist. The back is cut in covery, and what is more strange, he the evening passenger. At Columbus Pierces-and it is ent so full that the got no farther west than Philadelphia, he was again examined, the physician

is regarded as a hoodoo. Tilden was tion, reported here this morning, and nominated there in 1878 and Cleveland further that Guinan is getting along in 1888, and both were defeated But nicely. Republicans are not greatly alarmed by hoodoos. It will be remembered that they were confronted with one in Ohio last November-the so-called they were walking along the beach, but

Ex-Secretary Foster has been to New York, where he came in contact with the ubiquitous interviewer. In regard to Mckinley's chances of securing the presidential nomination Mr. Foster declared that the outlook for the Obio man is certainly good, and that "there is no division of sentiment whatever in Ohio in regard to his can-

Senator Pelfer has had an opportutravagance of congressional funerals and notes that the average cost to the government would reach \$4542, while the funeral of the late Senator Hearst memory " -- New York World. alone reached the cost of \$21,322. The tendency is shown to be toward a gradual increase. Senator Peffer may Highest Honors-World's Fair, rect this extravagant evil

dark with no one to point out a way to what not to do are numerous. The present congress has, however, a great opportunity to gather wisdom from the

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DAN BABST FILES HIS REPORT AS

at the Lorsi Court of Count on Pleas This Morning-The Terms of the Settle-

The last act in the matter of the reenvership of Dan Babst, Jr., of the ypano railway occurred in the court of common pleas this morning about 10 o'clock.

At that hour Mr Babst filed his report as receiver which, stating the date of his appointment went on to say that e had secured Scotteld, Durfee & Scofield as his counsel that he had entered upon his duties as receiver that he and his counsel had gone to Cleveland and demanded possession of the road and been efused that no moneys or property had come into his hands, that hat he had conducted himself with be coming dignity as such receiver and asked that compensation be allowed

Immediately thereafter a journal entry was filed signed by Scofield Durfee & Scoffeld as attorneys for John Hoffman and John McPherson by I I' Mcleal & Sons as attorneys for the Nypano, by Williams & Cushing as atorneys for the other defendants and by Judge Norris in which it appearthat both the Hoffman and McPherson ases have been settled and that the ourt allowed Dan Babst as receiver

The settlement is virtually as stated in the STILL Thursday The Hoffman udgment was paid in full \$3.00 and osts, amounting in all to a little over *6 000 The case of Mclherson was settled in the U.S. circuit court, but this journal entry of course does not show the terms of the settlement although they are practically as stated Thursday, the Ispano pays all the costs in this court and the U S court, and instead of Mr Babst securing \$1 000 and an attorrey fee he gets \$4,000 and pays his own attorney

After the filing of the journal entry the gentlemen interested went to the Marion County Bank company s bank where the money was paid over as agreed upon in the settlement, thus enuing a case where the nice legal oints and possibilities were the great

So far as Mr Babst's receivership is oncerned Mr John Tod now holds undisputed possession of the Erie, as reeiver, and nothing appears on the horizon to prevent the absorption of that road by the Frie or the erection of a new station at this point, the latter being of far greater local interest than

Charles West by his attorneys, West West of Bellefontaine, filed in the court of common pleas, Thur-day, a petition against J A Behner, The Maion County Banking company and John Mautz, administrator of Christina

The petitioner sets up a judgment against J A Behner for \$357 with in terest recovered Oct 19, 1895, in the court of common pleas of Hardin coun

October 23, 1895, execution was levied on the real estate of JA Behner being part of lot 59 in the city of Marion and lot 1114 in Reed, I hler & True's first addition to Marion

The plaintiff says that The Marion County Lanking company claims some interest in said premises and asks that they may be required to set up what interests they may have that all liens on said premises be marsballed, that said premises may be sold and the proceeds thereof distributed according to

The Hocking Valley Lailroad com pany by its attorneys, J F Mc eal and C O Hunter, Thursday filed in the court of common pleas a demurrer to the amended petition of the plaintiff in the case of W C Hook against the C. II \ and T R'y Co

REQUESTS FOR AID

Last Year

The demand upon the charitably disnowed people will not be so great this winter as it was last from the present outlook So far the winter has not been a hard one, but up to date the demand has not been near so great as is usual \aturally there are a great many in the city who are obliged to ask for aid but there has not been one fourth of the requests made for help so

far as there was up to this time in 1894 Mrs. 4 D Matthews, who is connect ed with the W R C, said to the STAR that she had many at her door asking for the necessaries of life but as yet had been unable to do anything or rather it was not exactly necessary as the cases were not urgent Mrs Vistthews further said that the outlook was that the real orgent cases demandng assistance had greatly decreased

ince last year BY EXPRESS THIS MORNING

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The directors at once organized by electing \ Mezger president H Acker man vice president, and secretary and treasurer

Ne/ger and A C Court were appointed a committee to look up a site corn the York state product just as for the new company. It is under good as any ten cent corn sold which stood that these gentlemen have prac-) we will sell at 5 cents per can tically determined upon retaining the tity to customers not limited quarters at the corner of Main and while it lasts Church streets \ast improvements will be made, arrangements having been made with Mr G Leffier for the erection of a three story addition, to extend from the main, two-story structure back to the alley on Church street The work of building will be begun as soon as the weather will permit

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at r going bubble that as soon as an enterprise is advertised office as a vandeville or lurle-que P must necessarily be com-monplace ned vuign and is not fit to be witnessed by any person with higher ideas of theatrical amusement. These biased ople never stop to think that an artist is on artist no matter what line either be or she, as the case may be, may adopt, and a the specialty artist in his line is as commendable as the best leading man in his line. Take into consideration the fact that when a specialty or burlesque performer omes before the public he done is to name incandience. He has no wonderful scene mechanical or electrical effects, but has to

points weak, but his stems with others may be strong on account of those others being competent and helping to please One may be an artist and the other may be an anuateur and still their portion of the parformance will be considered effective. In other words, all combine to make the performance successful, while, on the ath-er hand, the specialty arrist must alone

He must of course be able to cope with the many other specialists that surround



NET HE DE COURSEY. him and may at any time be called upor to change his entire portion of the performance. A vaudeviller or burlesque muskin every sonse of the word be an artist and must be more versatile than an outsider can imist no more versatic than an outsider can imagine. At the same time to be must be original. Take, for instance, the celebrated J. W. Kelly. He, of course, is called a 'top notcher'. Now should some one attempt to imitate him what would the public say, but were he a dramatic actor he would be copied by hun-dreds and no attention whitsoever would be paid to it. Buile-que is variety, and variety can only be interpreted by a vandeville artist. A musical director of some grand opora company, although he be a musicant of great ability, could not direct in orchestra for a vandeville performance.

The line is so separate and apart from ny other department of theatrical aniusement that it has been set aside as a bustness of itself. True it is a great deal eas-ter to begin as a vandeville artist, than in and but one thing is sure, and that is that if you are not good as a dramatio actor you may from the surroundings, be able to get along, depending solely on the help of others, but if you are not up to be much as a specialty actist it shows itelf suplainly that you are at once concentred, and, as a matter of course, your contract is canceled. I do not in any way mean to say that vaudeville artists are botter than those who follow the drams,

I went on the stage quite young and played with Lowis Morrison, William Redmund and Mrs. Thomas Barry and the St. Charles theater (New Orleans) stock company of many high class drains I was fairly successful, but not advancing n my profession as rapidly as I should have liked I started in opera and sang all the leading prima donua and soubrette roles to the popular works and was in pany next productions of that order sdary-for that is what all are striving or-still remained about the same. It

sencel that I could not better myself. I took to face comedy and then to sonsational melodrama, being started and featured in many companies. The progress was about the same. I was then married to Mr. Joseph. Barrett, and he at last em-ceived the ble vol vandeville and but lesque. I started, of course, on a small salary, and have ever since been on the raiso all the time. Engagements at any of the high allss candeville theaters and roof gardens. are now easily obtained by me, and, in fact, I can always be at work, whether with a traveling combination, or what the carrety people call "playing dates," which is getting engagements at different houses ourself and paying your own expenses and ratiroul tares. I only cite my enso as a proof of my argument that the advancement in the vameleville line is much more raind and the pay better than in any other branch of the situal amusement. rate I have found it so and Lain sure there are many others who are of the same

Look at all of our connecperastars, and then go but, to their beginning as actors, You will find that nine out of every ten of them were once in the vandeville and burlesque, and what is more they made their Impression while there and it was through their and viduality and originality that they be one celebrated. Then of course, the field is easy once one becomes a favor me, for no reatter what the line he is in, he at once fields as held where the returns for his about will be greater. In other words he starts his own commany and plays the higher class therees. In more printesers are more appreclated and highmore he is a transactal and of course as sigress favors but a be to a constitute and more Do those people who go rightly to see him of that line of business. Such is not absowhile that his start was made or herein thirds the case. I mercly wont cate vande

omeny of zerous lotter.

Take, for instance, Harrigan and Hart,

Nettie De Cours

W. Blam Barry, the Life Hugh Flay, or Wilham Hory, Charles E. Evans, Joseph Hart, Francis Wilson, James T. Power-, Peter Dat'y, Jennie Yeaman-in fact, many others who today are among the biggest salaried comedians in this country bard their career, and you will surely find that they were first recognized as vandeville actors, and it was there that they made their "bit," Start these same people in drama, and not one half of them will become paving stars.

Why, then, condensa vandeville when it is the mother as it were, of all comic org suizations. Take a farce comedy, comb spera or burlesone extravaganza. What is it composed of: What does it purports It is simply a vehicle in which a series of vandeville, and burlesque acts can be shown. Take that away, and you have a few threadbare wormout lines that would not please any one. Comie opera, again, finds it necessary to intermingle the varicty, and even the dramatic shows of the sensational order must fill in with variety or burb sque.

If you were to ask a "first nighter" who frequents out, the highest class theaters if he would like to see a variety or imrle-qui performance, he would laugh at you. Still he will roar with laughter at the vande cillo acts he sees in comic opera and other on mamments. Why is it.

dust analyze a variety performer's abil-ity - of course I mean one of note—and you will see that he is possessed of not one but several phases of merit. He must be original able at all times to cha ze his pokes and dialogue, should be a good single and doncer and always writ ing a porting matter together that he then s will please. A new net will best ison, but year after year, if the pubconsidered it.

On to other hand, the dramatic actor as each season a new part in a drama, his tipes a call written for him, and he depends solely upon his general ability as an sever for the success of his part. All the large buriesque companies area mixture of venderable and every farco comedy is dependent almost altogether upon the specialty a 1s to carry it through. I have endeavored to show the many disadvantages that specially people labor under and how hard it is to obtain reasonition, but I do not wish my meaning misconstrued. Of consect readily understand that the higher the class of the work the better the aritst must be, and it is much more difficult for a specialty performer to be successful in drama, then it is for a dramatic artist to be a succe of in buricsque and vaudetramps of the sen-ational order have in

my ognition been on the decline, while, on the other hand, vandeville has been steadly working itself into universal favor. Take, for instance, such stars as Gus Williams, Lew Dockstader, Billy Emerson, Charles Dic'son, Marion Manola-Mason, Edwin Stevens, Willis Sweatman and others who have for years been before the public as leading attractions, heading large companies and playing only the legitimate theaters. They may have been successful, but like others they had to succamb to the mevitable and are at present playing the vaudeville theaters. Do they day such louses because dramatic engagements are so scarce? I do not think o, for any of these people can at any time obtain good engagements with high class companies. It is my opinion that they any adopted vaudeville because at the present time it is better paying than any aller line of theatrical employment, and agun the work is at least twice as easy, an artist having only from 10 to 12 minutes of actual work, while with other organizations they will be required at least ion 2 to 21. hours.

It is a positive fact, that all of the varioty and builesque houses are being pat-conized more and more by ladies and chilren. If a person has an hour or even less o spare he can by going to see a vaudeille entertainment witness complete acts in that time, while if he went to see a draing r tomic opera or farce he would only get portion and lose the entire purport of the Take all of the leading people in he large burbsques or comic plays, anaill plainly arrive at the conclusion that they are only at their hest when doing their own specialty. Therefore why not designate these companies as they should be—high class vandeville. The manager, however, knowing the aversion to vaude-

ents ir as such. I have stated that it is much easier to elevate one's position in vandeville than in any other line of the theatrical profession. will rite invown case. I was once the rading subrette in a large comic operaompany; my work seemed to pleasu every one, and on many occasions the press poke very highly of me. I chised the seaon with that company, and had the same ara struggle to get another good engagement, and had to accept a very small salary to keep myself employed. If in any omb play you cease to be, as it were, up to the mark" through the entire perormance, you ere thought incompetent, out it you are only dependent on your own special work which the variety artist calls us curn it erean adapt it to your pecul-

far requirements. played in the large cities in runs varying in length from 4 to 12 weeks. My salary remained the share. Then Indopted vaude-



TYPE ALLEI BLESOFERS.

sille and made the same impression with the public. In fact, I sang the same songs is I did with comedies, etc., and can now lemand twice the salary for my small bit. What does this show except that vaude with at present is at its renith, and appro-

er suaried their "straight" work!

I feel sure that some one will say that farmly installed as a force of man, other the only reason I speak in such glowing he is time to byword to bevers of country berms of vandeville is because I am in the Bowery in a cheap samely ball or as a cyalle as an experiment and was at once acong and dance gian in an order in various for the fore londy-peak of it as I find out the tor. They condit in variously in Firefaces in evanous of my belief in but forgot that it is the hackbone of and has arguin in I truy any that I shall consuccessful Larles me operation and five time of my postertime until I am per-NETTIE DE COURSEY.

BESSIE BELLWOOD.

Ap English Music 'All Hartist Who Earns a Prima Denua's Salary.

Bessie Bellwood is one of the most prom ment of that peculiar class of people, usu-Pv so devoid of humor, whom Londoners, with possibly a touch of satire, call music hall artists, with the accent on the word artists. Miss Bellwood got a double Nelon hold on fame about 12 years ago by singing a classic of which the following is the refram:

I'm a hidy, I'm a hady,
You can tell by my walk
And the style of my talk
I'm a hady, I'm a hady,
I'm the Duchess of Petticoat Lane.

The author of this pathetic ballad did not achieve fame like Mess. Bellwood, and as a me will not go ringing or doing anyhing else down the corridors of time Thus are the truly great forgotten.

Since she has become prominent Miss Bellwood has found more prolific channels for the exploitation of her genius than



BESSIE BLI LWOOD. singing ordinary ballads. She is now noted for the easo and facility with which she is wont to indulge in more or less mity persillage with the audience. Of course most of this would shock Lindley Murray, and some of it would even do violence to the antiquated ideas of the late lamented Lord Chesterfield, who enjoyed something of a reputation as an exponent of good breeding. Still Bessels popular and cains, whereas Chesterfield is dead, and his disciples at the variety theaters are very scarce nyway So Miss Bellwood appears to have the advantage.

In reality she sings absurd songs fairly vell, but her reputation for repartee is scarcely warranted. It is a risky thing for a performer to do even if good nature always pervades her remarks, but Miss Bellwood, it must be admitted, sometimes strains a point almost to the snapping hmit On the occasion of her first visit to this country she was not a tumultuous merces, but she is back again and has been received with great favor by the lohanies. At last accounts, however, the Hudson river was pursuing its trangual way at about the temperature usual at this season of the year.

John Bare's Popularity.

"No batter proof could be given of the high e-teem in which John Haro is held in London, both as an actist and a gentleman, than the list of manus of the comnuttee which has updertaken, to do henor to an old friend and comrade on the eve of his departure for America, by giving him a banquet," writes Clement Scott, the famous English dramatic critic. "We are sending across the Atlantic to the new and happy land' not only one of the best comedians of our time, a ripe, finished and versatile notor, who, if I may so express it, has all the vigor of the English school united to much of the delicacy and you their work very critically, and you i finesso of the French, but one who from almost boyhood has done conspicuous honor to the profession he has elevated by practice as well as precept." The committee to which Mr Scott alludes includes the Dake of Fife, the Dake of Beaufort, Lord Carrington, Sydney Grundy, George ville, shrewdly masquerades under some Du Maurier, Sir Arthur Sullivan, W. S. other tale, and the unsuspecting public Gilbert, George Alexander, Joseph Knight, Lord Latham and 100 others

Mansfield's New Play.

Richard Mansfield could hardly wish for better opportunity for fine character act ing-bis great forte-than that afforded him by his new play, "The Story of Rodi-Man-field's greatest successes have on." been won, with the exception perhaps of Bead Britished, by serious plays, and "The Story of Rodion" is certainly as my sterious as "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" and has far greater psychological value. The story is absorbingly interesting and appeals to all classes of society. It is a universal play in the full sense of the word Rodion is an importations St. Petersburg student, mentally unbalanced, who holds the dangerous theme that killing is no crime if the motive by good. He carries the good condensed work to onclude justice and quiet his own conscience is the basis of this remarkable play. The murder scene is one of the most thrilling ever presented on any stage.

What a Hess Caused.

A hise is the cause of the magnificent Olympia theater, music hall and concert half, all in one big building, under Oscar Hammerstein's management, in New York A year ago Hammerstein, then with Koster & Blal's Music hall, New York, bissed Do Dio, a Parisian vande villist appearing there. That caused dis-cord in the firm, and Hammerstein with-drew his interest in the hall, and registered an eath to have a similar place of amusement all his own. Olympia is the most extensive and expensive place of amusement in the United States. The theater, where R. A. Barnet's "Excelsior, Jr.," is the attraction, the music hall, and I the concert half have drawn crowds of people since the opening.

Vroom Will Follow Drew.

The announcement made by A. M. Palmer that John Drew is to play a four weeks' engagement at Palmer's theater, New York, opening on Jap 6, indicates that the previously made authorizement that Edward Vreem's production of Francots Coppee's "For the Crown | was to take er had signed contracts by which Mr. | upraise strig I Victom was to have the theater on Jan. 6 If was entropy through the courtesy of time. The enter star will appear at Palm belt, emblematic of championship glore inmoderately following the month s. The culy course left to Maher after being , er's immediately following the month s engagement of Mr. Frohman's attract on. defeated by the lanky Australian was to

Sporting Men on His Alleged "Streak of Yellow."

MADDEN TRINKS HE IS GAME NOW.

But He Admits That Peter Quit at New Orieans When Fighting Bob Fitzsimmons-The Views of Sam Austin, Young Griffo, Sam Fitzpatrick and Tommy Flood.

the world by the gracious transfer of the title by James J. Core ett, a streak of "yellow" in his compositions. In other words, is he a quitter, a coward? That is the renarkable proposition which is now being discussed by the leading sportsmen of America, the more remarkable from the fact that no champion of any country, from the days of Tom Cribb and Tom Hyer down to those of Jem Mace and John L. sullivan was ever suspected of such a weakness. Pat Sheedy, Budd Renaud and Jim Holland unlesitatingly declare that Maf crisa quitter. They were all heavy losers upon the Irishman in his battle with Bob Pitzsimmons at New Orleans, however, and may have some prejudice, view of Maher's alleged weakness and his proposed great battle with Bob Fitzsimmons for the championship of the world near El Paso, Feb. 14, the following opinions of Billy Madden, the famous manager, Sam Austin, the sporting writer, Sam Phypatrick, who brought out Peter Jackson, Joe Goddard and Kid Lavigne. Young Griffo, the pugillst, and Tom Flood, the noted sportsman, will be of interest just at this time: MADDEN SAYS MAHER WILL STAY.

Tony Sage, the famous Dublin sports-

oan, sent Peter Maher over to this country four years ago, and requested mo to take charge of him. I did so, and sent him up against second and third rate men. He whipped them all. Jim. Daly was the best of the lot and Peter polished him off quite easily. He showed no signs of "quarting" in any of these bouts. I then matched him against Bob Fitzshimmons. He had Fitzsimmons almost whipped in the first round, but he lost his head, and did not know how to take advantage of his opportunity. Bob did, and kept Peter at arm's length after that, jabbing him in the month and nose until Peter was choking. In the twelfth round Peter quit, but I de not think that any criterion of his courage now. He was then a green boy, homesick heartsick and ball scared to death by the great crossd present and the evation he re served. He was quite overcome by the idea of the great things that were expected of him, and had stage (right of the worst kind. He did not know much about the game then, and as he would not train was not in the best physical condition.

At Coney I-land I do not think he quit

with Joe Goddard I handled the Austrahan then, and watched both men closely Maher was unconditioned, and was sim ply punched into a state of exhaustion. He trains faithfully these days, I hear, and I think be would stay to a firmsh now with

William Madden

A RANK COWARD, SAYS TOMMY FLOOD. My opinion of Peter Maher is that he is a big coward. I saw him quit twice—once at Coney Island with Goddard and upon another occasion of which few know any thing Soon after his disgraceful exhibi tion of cowardice with Fitzsimmons at New Orleans Maher, somewhat the worse for liquor, picked a quarrel with a man who had bet against him at Steve Brodie's saloon in New York. The man was no match for him physically, and became thoroughly (rightoned A quiet man named John Keileher remonstrated with



SAMIC, ALSTIN

[The sporting editor who thinks 900 men out of 1,000 would have quit when Maher did] Maker concerning los violent cominer, and Malar began abusing him, Kelleher promptly offered to flight him in the back room or on the street or anywhere except in front of the bar. The builty weakened. He wanted no part of Kelleher, and "quit' then and there. It is a shame such a man should be called champion, and I predict that Coddard Chovnski Slavin or Fitze dimmon- will whip him if he meers any of them O'Donnell was a "stiff," a gift.

Thomas G. Flood

EDITOR SAM AUSTIN'S VIEW.

Whether Peter Maherpossesses the quality of which ougilistic "champs" are made a question of vital importance to those who have been heralding him as the sec ond John L. I am of the opinion that Maher does not lack heart, despite the arguments advanced by those who take an opposue view. When he fought Fitzsimmons at New Orleans, he was raw, unautored and lacking in experience. It was the first buttle of importance that he had ever fought, and he was discouraged by the remarks of the men in his corner because of his failure to take advantage of an oppor tunity early in the proceedings that would antely invegiven blim the victory. Taunted by a feeling of disappointment, he tried to remedy matters and in his wild raze at being mable to put a glove upon the clev er man in front of him he did what 999 place then and there was a chimera. The men out of every 1,000 would have done facts are that Mr. Vroom and Mr. Palm- under the sche conditions—gave up the under the some conditions-gave up the

The courage us assured of the man, however, is alluserated in his determina-Mr. Vroom to Mr. Palmer and Mr. Frol. Hole, of to remnaish his ambinion, that man that V: Drewisto have Mr Vroem s of winning the Richard K. Fox diamond

mgia again, this time at the lowest rung of the ladder, realizing that he must fight his way to the top.

It was this experience of a novitiate which is responsible now for the eminence that Maher has attained in the fi-tie world. He gave serious thought to the matter of learning the tricks of the trade and became in time an adept exponent of Elentific pugilism. Today he is rated as the most improved man in the ring, but whether this rating is justifiable or not remains to be seen. His victories in rerent fights have been accomplished so quickly that little chance has been afforded him to demonstrate the effectiveness of his newly acquired art. He has shown his ability to avoid publishment, and his victories will testify to his marvelous hitting powers. Has Peter Maher, alleged champion of

In summing up the argument I am of the opinion that the question of Maher's gameness should be of secondary importance to the one regarding the improvement in fistic skill which his adherents claim he has made since he fought Godfrey in Boston a year ago. It would require a fight of ten or a dozen rounds to demonstrate to what extent he has improved, yet if he is able to put his opponent out in three punches, as he did O'Donnell, I don't know that fistic eleverness is so much a

Same C. autin-

A CHAMPION, SAYS FITZPATRICK. The Peter Maher of today and the Peter Malier who landed here four years ago from Ireland ere as different as daylight and dark. Then Peter was a novice, and had but the most element, ry knowledge of the art of boxing Now he is a past grand master of the game, and a champion among champions I don't think his al-leged "quitting" at New Orleans should ent any figure as to his present status. At Coney Island I know he did not quit. He was simply punched out, or rather completely exhausted by his own exertions and the punching be received. In both



SAM ETTZPATINCK

[The well known manager who behaves Milher will defeat Fitzsimmons in February] eases howas utterly in no condition to light, never having trained on hour. In addition to this ire drame heavily of aleand Dublin stout, and this affected his lead, heart and stomach. Of course his managers and trainers were fools to let him do it, but they did all the same. Now Peter does not touch a drop of either mait or other spirits, and consequently is in the finest of fettle. He also trains faithfully for every contest, he goes into. Now he can put up a battle with any man living, and I il gamble he will never quit. Conin ion makes courage. I have seen the bravest of brave men shrick and shiver when lying on a bed of sickness and pain An unconditioned man in the ring is a sick man and will weaken when the heart won't perform its functions properly. That is what "quitting" generally is.

In the next championship battle be-

tween Maher and Fitzsimmons I think Maher will be a winner.



her and Joe Goddard at Coney Island, and I can state positively Maker did not quit He was in poor condition, and was simply heaten into a state of helple-spess after h had the other man almost conditor. It was a turious battle of three rounds of the give and take order, and Goddard's superior condition told, although he was the worse panished man of the two. Peter did quit at New Orleans, I am

told, but I do not set much store by that, as he was green, mexperienced and untrained at the time. He gave up a strug-gle in which he had no chance to win. Joe Goddard did the same a little over a year ago with Lang in Australia. He entered the ring sick noning luck would pull him through. He gave up in the seventh or eighth round, saying "It's your battle, I can't go on, but I il meet you again." He kept his word, and not long ago whipped Lang Smely no one ever accused Joe Goddard with lack of gameness. Why aconse Maher when he acted in precisely the some manner, under precisely similar condirions? I am sure that, fit and well, no man in the world can make him quit now.



YOUNG GRIFFO DEFENDS MAHER. Peter Maher, the new champion of the world, is no quitter. The chap that says so is either a blooming fool or a blooming rascal. He either does not know, or if he does know is trying to do harm to one of the best fellows on earth. I'd like to meet that fellow and persuade him he's wrong. The chances are that he is some manager who has got a no good pugilist he wants to boom at Peter's expense

Maher did not quit at Coney Island. That I have on the best authority. He would have won with Fitzsimmons at New Orleans if he had been rightly handled. He was a green boy then and didn't know invthing. Neither did his handlers.

It s different new Peter is a general at bis stage of the game. He has improved 100 per cent and is always in the best of tondition when he fights. He will fight them all Fitz-immons, Choynski, Goddard. Slavin and Jackson, if they are well -Maher wants no invalids, like some people I know-and mark my words, he will

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No combination which has appeared than the Cecihan-White company and the smallness of the audience did not wheel. appear, in the least, to detract from The play is the story of that unforthe brilliancy of the efforts of the per-

The Cecilian-White company is made and guitar: Alice M. Sawyer, second soprano and mandolin; Edwina M. Richardson, first contralto and banjo; Jennie King-Morrison, second contralto and guitar; Karl Marshall White, reader, and was made up at Portland.

Thursday night's program was made up of ten numbers but counting encores, wenty numbers were given, which is and pleasure afforded by these artists.

There was not a weak number on the program and individual mention of the the superlatives in the ordinary vocabulary. From number one, a vocal quartet, "Concert Invitation," by Dudley Buck, rendered by the quartet, to the closing number, two selections by the quartet, "Where Are You Going, My Pretty Maid?" and "The Night Hath a Thousand Eyes," the entertainment was excellent and in its production the artists exhibited vocal and in- day. strumental powers which captivated those present.

If it is possible to make comparisons where all are so superbly excellent, it is probable that the vocal and instrumental quartet, "Plantation Melodies," the vocal quartet. "Tit for Tat," and numbers 5 and 9, readings by Mr White, carried off the honors with the exception of the contralto solo-Garotte. "Mignon," by Thomas, by Jennie King-Morrison, which was a revelation to the audience. Such a voice had never been heard in the city before. It was no empty honor when she was twice compelled to respond to encores.

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The Mills-Grissinger Wedding Occurs a That Place Thursday Evening.

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See us. we will you all The bride and groom appeared before the minister without any attendante. and waited until the simple ceremony of the Methodist Episcopal church had been said, which them for better or for worse. Mr. and Mrs. Mills remained hen followed the wedding feast. The noon, and then return to Cardington. finally it was collected as fare. Culbertson, Mame Bryant and Lillian ago.

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One of them, "The Other Man," is what would ordinarily be a curtain was well filled and a goodly sum was raiser, the dramatis personae of which realized. are taken by Mrs. D. O. Weeks and Burt McPhail. The other comedy is "The Bicyclers"

Mr. Perkins, the unhappy possessor of of a success in every way as it is posin this city has given more pleasure a new wheel, Messrs. B. McPhail and sible to attain. T. M. Cunningham take the parts of that it was not greeted by a larger professional bicyclists and Miss Iva audience was more of a misfortune to Fish takes the part of Mrs. Perkins, our citizens than to the company for wife of the soon-to-be victim of the

tunate victim of the bicycle craze, "the beginner,"who has secured the services up of Lizzie M. Brown, first soprano to ride the pneumatic. There are many of two professional riders to teach him funny situations and dozens of complications which add to the merriment of

la the selection of the cast much judgment was shown. The two ladies: of the cast are among the most beautiful of the city's beautiful society ladies. who are in all ways well qualified for the parts and if better specimens of athletic development could be prothe best evidence of the enjoyment duced than Messrs. Cunningham. Dombaugh and McPhail, it would be necessary to go outside the city limits to procure them.

All in all, it is evident that the forthcoming entertainment is to be a suc-

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E. C. Ensign, general baggage master of the Erie, was in the city. Thurs

E. L. Northup, freight agent of the Nickel Plate, was in this city today, on business for his line.

The C., S. and H. earnings for the first week in December show an increase, as follows: 1895, \$15,14562; 1894, \$12,890.81; increase, \$2,754.81. C. C. Reynolds, superintendent of

the C. and E. H. D. McClellan, trainmaster, and J. W. Hawthorn, master mechanic, were in the city today, looking after the company's business.

The report of Auditor Dunning of the Columbus, Sandusky and Hocking for the first week in December shows a net increase of \$2754.81. The mileage of freight cars on other roads shows a slight decrease. The increase in passenger business was \$135; freight \$2,-723.03; mail, \$21.75. The total receipts for the week were \$15,145.62, against \$12,390 81 for the same week last year.

Fully 5000 clergymen bave filed their application with the Western Passenger association for half-fare permits for 1896, and about as many more will be in before the work is completed. The bureau appointed by Chairman Caldwell to look up the identity of each one of all these applicants is at present fairly swamped with the amount of work on hand.

A ticket was presented to a C., H. V. standing until the hundred or more and T. conductar at Upper Sandusky guests had offered congratulations and this morning that was purchased at Delaware for a round trip to Upper couple left at 9 o'clock for Cleveland, Sandusky five years ago. The conwhere they will spend a brief honey- ductor refused to take the ticket, but where they will make their home. The ticket was still good as there was no following guests from this city were in contract on it. It had never been used attendance: Misses Mary and Grace and was as good as it was five years

But few business men are aware of the expense attached to the doing of ADELAIDS, Dec. 13.-Meeting is still the general switching service by the railways. At the terminals on the Big

Additional State of the general switching service by the railways. At the terminals on the Big Four system 96 switching engines and crews are in daily service. The average was a fin Common Pleas Court. Without special pay of the engineer and fireman, has been very ill. We understand that meeting commences at Salem Sunday evening next. Mr. Wilson Tweedle narrowly escaped a runaway today by one of his lines breaking. The horses were captured without much damage.

The Epworth League is talking of having a Christmas entertainment. Miss Rose Vinyard, of Marion, was in this village Sunday last.

Miss Rose Vinyard, of Marion, was in this village Sunday last.

Miss Ida Winget, of Marion county, Sundayed here.

Groceries Are; Cheap at Thew's.

Best Standard oysters, 255 quart.

New may beans, 3 hs for 105.

New nickledfoork, 66 hs.

Leaving a Christmas entertainment.

Columbus at 2:25 p. m. in time to make close connection for Cincinnati over the Big Four, A. and O. and the Pan Williage Sunday last.

Best Standard oysters, 255 quart.

New may beans, 3 hs for 105.

New mickledfoork, 66 hs. schedule ever undertaken for the 124 miles between Tofedo and Columbus. averaging over 36 miles an bour. The change was made on account of a change in the time of the Michigan Central arriving at Toledo, permitting an earlier departure from that city. No. 31 will leave at 5:30 a.m.instead of 5:15 a. m. and No. 36 will arrive at 9:15 p. m. instead of 9:35 p.m. On the C. S. ontinned to Fancy Michigan potatoes, 10% a peck. and H.the only change from the figures already published for the new schedule effective next Sunday is in the arrival W. M. Gallouse of 8 rooms. summer kitchen, will be made 10:25 a. m. instead of 9:30

Bow to Buy Frait.

First go to C. Turner & Co., headquarters for everything good in the edible line.

If it is bananas, get the golden ripe fruit, extra nice for the season. Fresh oranges, the best in market. Plenty of choice eating and cooking

C. TURNER & Co.

A SUCCESSFUL AFFAIR.

And Casts Arranged for the Mask and Pride of Marion Council, No. 19, Daugh-

The supper given Thursday night, by From early evening to late at night the hall of the ladies in Bennett block

During the evening music was furnished by a mandolin club and if a merrier or more successful entertainin which V. E. Dombaugh takes the ment could possibly be given the ladies part of Mr. Bradley, busband of Mrs. would like to know about it for they Bradley, a bicycle enthusiast, the latter justly felt that their affair of Thursday character to be taken by Mrs. D. O. night was just as nice, with just as so-Weeks: D. O. Weeks takes the part of ciable people present, and just as much

> Why pay 509, 759, \$1.00 and \$1.50 for books when you can get them at Odaffer's for 359.50c, 75c and \$1.00.

Honestly Now.

Laying all jokes aside, who should the Marion public patronize for drugs?

Why, Headley,

of course. Me runs Exclusively.

To THE PISO COMPANY, Gentlemen:

With delight I recommend

your CURE

CONSUMPTION to others.

for it alone saved my

ADOLPH ZIMMER, Bellwood, Neb., Apr. 13, 1895.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Inted Marion, Ohio, December 4, 1885. KITTIE M. Holdes, by H. Edmund Hill. Tile Her Attorney.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of John Stull, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of John Stull, late of Marion county, deceased.

Entied this 29th day of November, A. D. 1805.

Zit3 Anterew C. Stell. Administrator.

MOTICE OF APPCINTMENT.

Estate of Elvira 1. Scoffeld, deceased. The undersumed has been appointed, and qualified as administrator of the estate of Elvira I. Scoffeld, late of Marion county.

leceased
Dated this 3d day of December, A. D., 1895,
BENJAMIN Profitab.
Zt3
Administrator

MCTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of John W. Behont, deceased.
The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executer of the estate of John W. Behout, late of Marion county, deceased.
Dated this 9th day of December, A. D. 1985.
2013 January H. Banota,



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whole spool. The end of the spool is the same as the beginning. It stands every test for strength, evenness and uniformity of quality. Try

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WILLIMANTIC THREAD CO., Willimantic, Conn.

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Fall and Winter Goods. Williams & Leffler THE LEADING TAILORS,

Have now in stock all the Newest Designs, Colors and Mixtures. A great variety of Plain Goods, in all makes, which they will make up at the lowest possible prices, consistent with first-class workmanship. Satisfaction is always given.

STOVES, RANGES. MANTELS. AND TILE.

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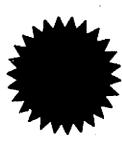


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If there is an advertiser who shasn't made his fail contracts, who makes his contracts on a business basis, we want his eye or ear. It is useless to talk to the sentimental advertiser. Our argument is a business one.

We Believe the Star, With Its Daily and Weekly Editions, Goes Into More Homes in Marion County Than All Other Marion Papers Put Together.



We do believe this. We know that honest advertising in the the Star hrings returns. The best advertisers in Marion attest the Star's ability to bring returns.

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much the cheapest. We will be glad to quote rates and exhibit circulation records upon application. Get in line now. There's prosperity in the air this fall.

The Star,

Phone 51.

229 E. Center.

Just in Time.

To be Announced in Today's Ad.

We have just received the following new goods, which were purchased at a great reduction from their original price, and will be sold at correspondingly low figures---50 dozen Laundered Percale Shirts New designs. Will be sold at 50c. 25 dozen Men's Heavy Black Fleeced Jersey Shirts, with double fronts. special price 50c Also 22 Black Ulsters of a good Irish Frieze, regular price \$12, will be closed out at \$9. Also have reduced the price of 18 fine Blue and Black Beaver Overcoats from \$14 and \$12 to an even \$10 bill. If you expect to take advantage of the above prices

Call at Once.

Sam Oppenheimer.

CUNNINGHAM & STOWE.

ECONOMY IS WEALTH.

Report of E. H. Jenkins, Supt. of the Columbus Gas Light Company.

Welsbach Incandescent Gas Light

As compared with ordinary gas burners and electic lights.

Conningham & Stowe, Agents

227 E. Center St.

Chasing a Thief.

About II o'clock Thursday night Mike Clary was awakened by the noise a thief made while prowling about the Clary chickencoop. Mr. Clary and his son made a hasty investigation, and upon going out into the yard saw the thief going east toward Main street, gave chase, which soon became so hot that the fellow dropped the chickens

We suggest that you purchase your holiday goods early, avoid the rush, secure a 25° article with a one dollar purchase or a 10° article with a 50% purchase and select from an unbroken stock. If you have not the ready money by paying a part on articles they will be laid away until called for.

THE MARION BAZAR. Nice, cloth-bound 10 mo. books, large

assortment, to be closed out at 12¢ for your choice, at D. M. Odaffer & Co.'s.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

D. A. FRANK & CO.

Music from Our Balcony Saturday from 7 to 10 p. m.

In the Great Sale Now Going

%In Our Wrap Room....

Prices are virtually as you make them. The large quantity of Fur Capes and Cloth Jackets to be sold require us to make prices that will surely sell them:

At One Courageous Stroke We Cut Prices Almost in Half & More especially in the best and finest Fur Capes and Cloth Jackets.

Misses' Jackets and Gretchens

Are receiving their share of patronage, because of the cut in prices. Are real stylish this year's garments.

Underwear!

Too much for the middle of December. 25c Ladies Fleeced Ribbed Vests, 18c. Gents' All-wool Shirts or Drawers, 25c. Gents' Extra Fine and Heavy All-wool Underwear, the \$1.25 quality, choice now at \$1.

Saturday Night from 7 until 10 o'clock Music from our balcony.

Everybody is invited. A pleasant treat to do your shopping while the band plays on.

D. A. FRANK & CC

PHYSICIANS MEET

The North Central Ohio Medical Bociety in Fession Here.

The fifty-ninth quarterly meeting of he North Central Ohio Medical society convened at the Y. M. C. A. lecture room this forencen at 11 o'clock, with a polo ball in the eye at the People's fair attendance. A. H. McCullough rink Thursday night and sustained a occupied the chair and R. F. Grubaugh pretty black eye. acted as secretary.

Dr. F. W. Thomas, of this city, deivered the welcome address. He welcomed the visiting physicians to Marion, and his remarks were responded to by Dr. A. H. McCullough, of Mansfield. Then followed the business meeting The minutes were read and in a booth, and the toll for the use of the various reports of the others and committees were read. Applications Oscar W Midlem and Mrs. Missouri for membership were received, communications from abroad read and all sonage at 7 o'clock. Thursday evening, of the miscellaneous business of the Rev. J. L. Hillman performing the cermeeting attended to by noon. The emony.

next meeting is to be held in Mansfield. At I o'clock this afternoon the session convened again. This evening at held at the Hotel Marion and at 8-15 a banquet will be given

Underwear cheap. Martin & Wiley.

CHANGE OF MANAGERS

Manager Neff, of the Western Union, Gets a Promotion.

Supt J. F. Wallack, of the Western city today and officially announced the

Manager W. G. Neff goes to manage the Western Union office at Anderson. Ind., and will be succeeded here by C. first class man, having had such experience as the Postal management in Cincinnati.

Mr. Neff will remain with Mr. Clegg a few days and then go to take full charge of the Anderson office. Anderson is a considerably larger town, and the office not only affords the manager carrying two chickens. They at once a better salary but loca'e; Mr. Neff in a congenial latitude. His Marion friends will regret his departure but take pleasure in noting his high standing with the company.

Underwear cheap. Martin & Wiley.

LOCAL MENTION.

See Old Santa at the Marion Bazar

Famous Lynn Haven brand of bulk ysters at Luellen Bros.

Luellen Bros. are up to date in hanlling oysters. See their new case, Gold pens, plain and fountain, at D

M. Odaffer & Co.'s at ruinous prices. 17-t2 a wk

Massilon Lumpand Massillon Wash Nut, by Prendergast Lumber & Coal 301tf A daughter was born to Mr and Mrs

Landry Shoots, north of the city, Thurs-Marion Lodge, No. 70, F. and A. M., will confer the F. C. degree on Friday

Telephone No. 12 calls up F. E. Blake the florist and gardener, on Garden

The celebrated Maple Hill lump coal for sale by Linsley & Lawrence. Tele-

The Sunday school class of W. Z

Davis will hold a social at the church this evening.

Canby Lodge Knights of Pythias worked the third degree on two candi dates last night.

Bibles, family, teachers' and small hand bibles go at the closing out prices on book at D. M. Odaffer & Co.'s. 17-t2 a wk

Luellen Bros. will have for Saturday's market a fine line of beef, pork, veal, lamb, dressed chickens and tur-

Have you read Mr. Porter's book, 'A Prince of Anabase?" If not, secure в сору. It would make a choice present.

The infirmary directors of Marion diphtheris. county were at Mansfield Thursday, transacting business with the Richland

Take advantage of the special inducement in the way of presents to the early buyer of holiday goods, at the fever. This is the fifth case of that dis-

If the sleighing holds out, on Saturday, Dec. 14th, Old Santa, with a fourhorse team, will take the children out for a sleigh ride. 17t2

Don't molest the "fool" on the square Saturday afternoon and evening but watch the "115" closely. Pon't let him get out of sight.

Drake's livery, back and baggage line No. 128 S. State street. Prompt attention to calls for backs for trains, parties or funerals. Phone No. 166.

The largest and finest assortment of candies in the city. Anything you want in the caudy line-home-madeguaranteed pure and fresh. at

Messra, Jacob F. Moore and James F. Wottring, of Prospect. administrators of the estate of the late George E Varren, have already received from one of the companies in which Warren was insured the sum of \$5,000 in cash.

The world should be growing stronger every day for every day it is eating purer food and drinking purer liquors. Gleberman, who runs a wholesale and retail liquor store at 187 north Main street, says that his trade almost invariably demands the best. By the way, the best is just what Gleberman

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

The Knights and Ladies of Honor expeet to hold a public installation of otheers at the first meeting in January.

In the last thirty days the Marion Tool company has sold 2000 tools. This is one of the largest months the company has ever experienced.

A long distance pay station has been put in at the Kerr House. It is placed the same is paid through a slot.

C. Barnett were married at M. E. par-The funeral of Mrs. Alice Gentry.

whose remains were brought here from Shelbyville, Ind, will occur at the 7:30 o'clock a social session is to be Christian church Sunday morning at 10:30 o'eloek. Mrs. Mary C. Cook, of Columbus, de-

partment pessident of the Ladies of the G. A. R., visited the local circle Thursday afternoon. The meeting was a very pleasant affair, and a charitable one as well. Constable Huggins was out near

Longville today and attached a horse nion Telegraph company, was in the and buggy belonging to William De-Long, to satisfy a bill of forty dollars change of management to be made that DeLong owed John Stark The papers were issued from the court of 'Squire McKinley.

Coroner Maddox this afternoon was O. Clegg, of Bellefontaine. Mr. Clegg killing of E. C. Crowser, at the C. and holding the inquest in the case of the E. crossing of the C., H. V. and T. The engineer and fireman were the only witnesses summoned.

Mrs. J. F. McNeal went to Upper Sandusky, today, where she sings tonight at the baby show. Mrs. C. A. Moore and Miss Evelyn Gailey will go up this evening and all of them will be the guests of Mrs. Hare.

Supt. Lloyd, of the Central Union Telephone company, was in the city Thursday afternoon. It is not known how soon the exchange will be removed to new quarters. New quarters must be secured, but it is difficult to find a new location.

E. N. Craig leaves this evening for Zanesville. He goes there to accept the agency of the Wells-Fargo Express company. 'Gene has been clerk here for the past two or three years, and since the C., S. and H was built has looked after the Sandusky office dur ng the fruit season.

A very pleasant company was entertained at the new home of Mr.and Mrs. John Mezger, in North Marion, Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs Mezgerhave | Hocking Coal not as yet moved into their new residence and its spacious rooms made an excellent dancing place. Supper was served and a most enjoyable evening

SICK AND CONVALESCENT.

Dr. F. S. Adams is reported quite ill. Jacob Jacoby, of West Marion, is re-

Miss Susie Layman, of Grand avenue, very sick.

Mrs. Hanora Burke is ill at her home on Silver street.

Mrs. Bridget Haley is ill at her home on Farming street. Miss Anna Merenes, of west Center

Louis Uhl is sick at his home on

south Prospect street. A child of Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Mooney, is reported quite ill.

Mrs. J. Trefz and daughter, of east Beorge street, are on the sick list.

Lewis Kraner is confined to his house on west State street with an attack of fever.

Sam Williams, of west Main street, is very ill with inflammation of the

Mrs. Hiram Guthridge is confined to per home on Columbia street with

Mrs. Wallace Parrot, on Lincoln avenue, is among those reported quite sick, and her condition is quite serious. Miss Nora Collies, of Patterson street, is suffering an attack of typhoid

Economy flour beats them all in price, and it's all right, too. Ask your grocer. All sell it.

ease in the family.

Real Estate

Office on N. Main St., over Deposit Bank.

A cozy residence of 7 rooms, close to the business center of the city, south of the residence of Mrs. M. A. Peters. on south Prospect street.

The residence of Mrs. M. A. Peters, on south Prospect street, costaining 10 rooms and bath room, with all modern improvements.

good business block on north Main street.

tract of land, on Jefferson street, of 3 and 37-100 acres.

WARNER & EDWARDS.

Dress Goods

In Patterns of Seven Yards for

Holiday **\$3.50** Each!

See the New Patterns in

Priestley's Blacks For Christmas.

A shipment of Boucle Nov. elty Dress Goods, about 200 yards, that we have waited six weeks for, have just ar. rived. They are in Blacks, Navys, Browns and Greens. Strictly Wool and very ser. vicable. Can not be dis. tinguished from the import. ed novelties that sell for twice the money. They are very choice. We offer them for Christmas Gifts at 50c per yard.

Our sales of Dress Goods for Holiday Gifts already show the practical turn of mind that the people are in when it comes to buying Christmas Presents. Visit our Dress Goods Depart. ment. The Novelty Pat. terns start at \$1.75 each.

Warner & Edwarde.

JUST THE NICEST YOU EVER SAW.

Also Pittson Egg and Chestnut, LeHigh Valley-all sizes, Scranton-all sizes, And Massillon, Raymond City, Sedalia and

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For Fall and Winter-1895 W. G. WINNEK==

Has removed to second floor, corner East Center and State Streets, opposite Hotel Marion, where he is now prepared for the Fall and Winter trade, with specially selected styles for merchant tailors of all the latest novelties adapted to the prevailing fashions, for gentlemen's business and dress suits, overcoats and trousers. All garments made by Winnek are unsurpassed in cut, style and finish.

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UKLER, PHILLIPS & CO.

Selling Xmas Handkerchiefs

Has commenced in dead earnest at our store. The buying is so brisk that we have employed extra help that you may be served promptly.

A lot of 50 Jardiners--something that every lady should possess, that keep living plants in the house during the winter. You are asked to pay \$1.50 elsewhere for them: our price until closed is 49c.

Great reductions in Dress Goods to make room to display our great Holiday lines.

Come in the morning if possible.